THE WEATHER
The indications are that it will be fair tonight and probably Wednesday; light north to east winds.

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FATAL LIVE WIRE

Suit of Prince vs. Electric Light Company

On Trial in Superior Court Today—Live Wire Dropped on Plaintiff's Lawn and Killed Him—Lawyer Johnson Wants Turner Case Reported to Full Bench

Lawyer Johnson for the plaintiff, in the case of Turner vs. Williams, when a verdict for the defendant was ordered, asked the case be reported to the full bench owing to its unusual nature. The court took the matter under advisement.

LIVE WIRE CASE.

Just before adjournment the case of Nellie E. Prince, administratrix of the estate of her husband, Calvin F. Prince vs. Lowell Electric Light corporation, went to trial. William H. Bent for the plaintiff and the Messrs. Qua for the defendants. The ad damnum is $12,000.

Mrs. Prince seeks to recover for the death of her husband who it is alleged was killed on August 4th, 1907, by a live wire owned and operated by the defendant corporation which, falling from its pole as the alleged result of the defendant's negligence fell on his land and killed him when he came in contact with it while investigating. When found lying on the ground one of the falling ends was found to be within a few inches of his head while his nose was burned from coming in contact with the wire.

Mrs. Prince who went on the witness stand before adjournment was on the stand again this morning and she related the circumstances of the case, going out in front of the house after seeing a flash of electricity and hearing a groan to find her husband lying beside a sizzling wire dead.

Considerable time was taken during the morning over the admission of certain photographs of the locality which were identified by Mrs. Prince as being pictures of her home in Middlesex street, North Chelmsford.

Walter V. Burnett of Sixth street testified that he was a frequent visitor at Mr. Prince's house and was there the day of the accident. He reached the house on that day about noon. It had rained and blown hard the day previous and similar conditions prevailed that day. He met Mr. Prince first. Before going into the house he saw a couple of wires hanging down by the gate. His attention was attracted to them by a flash of electricity. He was three feet from the gate towards Lowell when he saw the flash. Witness said the flash was about five feet in circumference and was on the inside of the front gate.

When witness saw the flash he went in the gate and rang the bell. Upon entering he saw the two wires hanging on his left. They were hanging four or five feet above the ground. The wind blew them back and forth and every time they struck each other a flash occurred.

Witness told Mr. Prince about the wires and Mr. Prince went out. Witness sat at the middle window and in five minutes saw a flash and heard a groan. The flash was like a streak of lightning and filled the room for a moment. Mrs. Prince ran out the front door served at St. Joseph's parish will be and witness followed her. He continued: "I found Mrs. Prince kneeling beside Mr. Prince, who was lying partly on his back and partly on his right side, his head toward North Chelmsford. His left hand rested on his breast and his right was outstretched. There was a pool of water beside Mr. Prince's head. There was a wire beside his head one or two inches of which rested on the ground within five or six inches of his head. The wire made a sizzling noise and a blue flame came from the end of the wire. His nose was marked at the bridge. He was dead when I got there. Only about a minute had elapsed when I got to the body."

On cross-examination Mr. Qua produced Mr. Burnett's statement to the Lowell Electric company at the time of the accident, and the witness denied several statements contained in it. The information in the statement was materially different from what he testified to today. Witness said he was a painter and was taking lessons in painting from the deceased.

ANNUAL MEETING

Of N. E. Veteran Firemen's Association

OPENED IN THIS CITY TODAY

Banquet Served in Associate Hall

The annual meeting of the New England Veteran Firemen's association is being held in Associate hall today. There are 81 associations connected with the main body and about all of them are represented.

The delegates did not meet this forenoon but visited about the city. James Walker, president of the Butler Veteran Firemen and treasurer of the association, showed a party of delegates through city hall. Memorial building and other places of interest, and several of the visitors went a-viewing on their own hook.

The banquet was at one o'clock. There were short after dinner speeches and then followed the business meeting. President Randall of Portsmouth, N. H., presided.

FUNERALS

HOLMAN—The body of Mrs. Adeline Holman, who died in Clinton on May 1st, arrived in this city yesterday. Burial was in the Edson cemetery, with C. M. Young as the funeral director.

SULLIVAN—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Sullivan was held yesterday afternoon from the rooms of Undertaker Savage and burial was in the Catholic cemetery where Rev. Fr. Heffernan read the committal prayers at the grave. The bearers were John, Dennis, David and William Sullivan. Undertaker Savage had charge.

LOVERING—The funeral of Mr. Charles L. Lovering, late treasurer of the Massachusetts and Merrimack companies, was largely attended in Taunton yesterday afternoon, many being present from Boston and elsewhere who were his business associates. The local mills of the two corporations were shut down for a time at the hour fixed for the services, and the Merrimack bell was tolled. The mills at Lindale and Huntsville were closed, and in the former place the people of the town gathered in their three churches voluntarily and held memorial services for the man whom many of them had long revered and loved.

GERVAIS—The funeral of Adelard Gervais took place yesterday from his home in Marshall street, with solemn funeral services at St. Joseph's church, Rev. Fr. Baron, O. M. I., officiated, with Rev. Frs. Amyot and Ouellette, O. M. I., as deacon and sub-deacon. The choir sang the harmonized funeral mass under the direction of Frank Gordeau, with Joseph A. Bernard at the organ. At the offertory, Mr. Jas. E. Donnelly sang "Jesu Salvatore Mundi," and Miss Blanche Dextra sang "O Meritum Passionis" at the elevation and "O Christe" at communion.

The bearers were Hormisdas and Oscar Gervais, sons of the deceased; Joseph and Hormisdas Gervais, his brothers; Albert Boucher and Clement Bastien. Among the floral tributes were a spray from Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Duignault; a wreath from Miss Mary Bastien and a wreath on base from the employes of Hormisdas Gervais & Co. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery and Rev. Fr. Ouellette, O. M. I., officiated at the grave. Undertaker Amedee Archambault had charge.

SUSPENDER FIRM

MOVES ITS PLANT FROM LOWELL TO CHELSEA.

The firm of T. Martin Bros. Mfg. Co., manufacturers of suspender webs with plants in Cambridge and Fletcher streets is removing its plant from Lowell to Chelsea where its main establishment is located. Fortunately its Chelsea plant was one of the few places in the ruined city that escaped the flames and the firm claims that it can make a big saving by centralizing its different plants. Most of the help who are residents of this city will accompany their employers to Chelsea.

THE Y. M. C. I.

TO HAVE ENTERTAINMENT FOR LAY NURSERY TONIGHT.

The Y. M. C. I. tonight will put on a fine entertainment at Associate hall for the benefit of the Day Nursery. The reputation of the Y. M. C. I. is a guarantee of success. The program will include a one act sketch of 45 minutes to be followed by dancing. There will also be musical features of a high order and all who attend will go away satisfied.

HUSBAND SLAIN

Such is Belief of His Wife

NEW YORK, May 5.—Former Congressman John Hardy, attorney for the widow of John P. Heins, whose body was found in the Central Park reservoir and whose death still remains a mystery, stated last night that today he would demand an autopsy.

"Nothing can make me believe that Mr. Heins committed suicide," said Hardy. "He had been in poor health, but he lived happily with his wife and two children. He was worth close to $50,000. An autopsy will show whether he was drugged.

"Two or three days after Mr. Heins disappeared Mrs. Heins was visited by a man who informed her that in his opinion her husband was dead and that his body was in Central Park reservoir. I have that man's name and I will talk more freely after an autopsy."

Coroner's Physician Lehane yesterday found that Heins had a fractured skull. There was an ugly wound over the right eye which resembled a bullet wound. Dr. Lehane said he thought Heins had been hit with a rock. "Death," said Dr. Lehane, "probably was caused by submersion."

Detectives are working on the theory that Heins was lured to Central park, kidnapped and held a captive in the hope that the wife would pay $1,000 as a ransom. The letter she received three weeks after Heins vanished reads:

"Before you read this letter see that nobody is with you. Because we can't get anything out of your husband we will have to get back at you. You mustn't have any fear about him. He is all right. We are keeping him out of town. Three weeks ago we had a date with him in Central park. He then showed fight and we were compelled to overpower him. He doesn't want to buy himself free, and if you do not get him back we will make him quiet.

"We will send a mesenger to No. 32 Second avenue tomorrow evening and to him you must give $1,000 and your jewels. The messenger boy will be waiting for you. Don't tell the police or you will feel sorry.

"Black Hand."

Dr. Lehane said that he had been informed by a friend of Heins that Heins often had threatened to kill himself by jumping into the reservoir.

Mrs. Heins is sure her husband met with foul play.

Lawyer Hardy states that Heins purchased a saloon a few weeks before he disappeared for $6,900 and had presented a check for $7,000. The check was drawn on the Fidelity bank. According to Hardy, there was trouble between Heins and the persons from whom he bought the saloon. An action was brought and a verdict against Heins returned.

$15,000 DAMAGE

Another Destructive Fire in Milford

MILFORD, May 5.—Another fire, one of several within a few months, visited this town today, the Coolidge block on Main street and its contents being damaged to the extent of $15,000 with partial insurance. The principal loss falls on James J. O'Neil, the contents of whose grocery store was entirely destroyed. The fire started from an unknown cause in the rear of the O'Neil store, near some kerosene barrels. The damage to the other occupants of the block which is a three story brick building is mostly from smoke and water.

A fire was discovered last night in a pile of papers on the second floor of the same block in the office of the Milford Daily News but was extinguished by employes without much damage.

The local authorities and the state police who have been conducting an active investigation into the numerous fires which have occurred here recently, at once began an examination of the circumstances surrounding today's blaze. It is believed that many of the fires have been of incendiary origin.

THE AMENDMENTS

TO ANTI-TRUST LAWS OPPOSED BY DAVENPORT.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—The hearing before the senate committee on judiciary on bills to amend the Sherman anti-trust laws was resumed today, Daniel Davenport of Bridgeport, Conn., being heard. He declared that if the present law was amended so as to apply to combinations which are in "unreasonable" restraint of trade, the amendment would impair the whole purpose of the law as there would be no standard to determine whether the restraint was unreasonable. He said that such legislation would make the corporation immune from prosecution and exempt them from practically every regulation provided by the Sherman law.

FOREST FIRE

THREATENED THE TOWN OF KINGSTON.

KINGSTON, Me., May 5.—A brisk forest fire threatened the town of Kingston for a time today but was finally extinguished before the flames had communicated to any buildings. The fire is believed to have been caused by a spark from a locomotive and started in a tract of pine woods, about a quarter of a mile from the town. The blaze crept towards the town and the streets were filled with smoke. Prompt action on the part of the local firemen checked the flames after they had burned over several acres.

KENNEDY FREE

Not Guilty of Assault and Battery

THE CASE HEARD IN COURT TODAY

Testimony of Witnesses Caused Merriment

The case of Patrick Kennedy, charged with drunkenness and assault and battery on Matthew Coupe, which was aired in police court this morning proved to be highly entertaining from a spectator's standpoint.

Coupe was the first witness called and he testified in part as follows: "I own a house at 176 Church street where Kennedy has been living and last Saturday morning about nine o'clock I went down to see if he had moved out. I was outside the door and had no intention of going in when he stuck his head through the window and said: 'Come up here, Mr. Coupe, I want to see you.' I went up and I had no sooner entered the house than he rushed at me and said he was going to kill me. He didn't though.

"He ups with a half a paving block, weighing between 12 and 15 pounds and when I saw him grab that I started to run, and he after me, but he could not catch me because the paving stone was too heavy for him to run fast. I ran a piece up Lawrence street and when I found he had stopped chasing me I returned to the building and he chased me again.

"Was he drunk?" asked Deputy Welch

"He was not sober."

"Then he must have been drunk?"

"Well he knew what he was doing."

Cross-examined by Lawyer James Stuart Murphy, witness said that there was a moving team in the street and when he entered the house there was nothing in it but the piece of paving block. Witness said he did not go to the house for rent for he said he knew he would not get it. He went there to see if they had moved out.

Mr. Coupe used the word "sure" frequently and Judge Hadley said: "What do you mean by 'sure?' Do you mean 'yes?'"

"Sure—er yes," responded witness.

Continuing witness said: "Kennedy gave me several taps on the nose, he was angry, mad, furious and jumped at me. I did not strike him at all. I didn't run until he came at me with the paving block. Wouldn't you run?"

"Did you yell?" asked Mr. Murphy.

"No, I don't yell."

"You weren't holding him with your teeth?"

"No, I don't fight."

"Your life was saved by assistance coming?"

"Yes, Pat Fahey saved my life. When he picked up the paving block he said he would knock my block off."

"You ran?"

"You bet your life."

"You know what the block was used for?"

"For keeping a door open."

"It is a small block?"

"If you got it on your head you wouldn't think so."

Patrick Fahey was then called and testified that he saw Kennedy with a stone in his hand chasing Coupe.

Patrolman Dan Lane who arrested Kennedy said he was drunk and had a razor in his pocket.

The defendant, Kennedy, was then called and testified: "I lived in the tenement owned by Coupe for about seven months. I paid the rent up to about four or five weeks ago when I was taken sick and then got in arrears, and he ordered me out on Wednesday.

"Saturday morning he came around; we were moving and everything had been taken out of the house with the exception of my razor and a few mats. I was shaving when he came in. I didn't call him in. He started to swear at me and call me vile names. He said he would kick the stuffings out of me and I told him I would not let him. He hit me on the nose and then I clinched with him in order to protect myself.

"He entered the house like a roaring lion. After we had the scuffle he peered through the window and called me more vile names and I picked up the paving stone and threw it into the street. Then I went out and got the stone. He came back again and I threw the stone at him again."

Cross-examined witness said he had but three glasses of beer that morning and that the beer and the excitement caused by Coupe might have affected him.

Mrs. Kennedy corroborated the testimony offered by her husband and said that while her husband's back was turned Coupe picked up an empty catsup bottle and was about to strike him when she grabbed the bottle out of Coupe's hand. She saw Coupe hit her husband on the forehead and cheek and kick him in the stomach. Then she shouted for help.

During the cross-examination of Mrs. Kennedy, Deputy Welch and Lawyer Murphy got into an argument which came to an end when Judge Hadley asked Mr. Murphy if he was through with his monologue.

At the conclusion of the case Judge Hadley found the defendant not guilty on the assault case and ordered the case of drunkenness on file. He said the man would not have been arrested for drunkenness if it had not been for the other trouble.

He said that if a man wants to eject a tenant let him do it in a proper manner and not insult people.

FINED FOR TRESPASSING.

William F. Toner was charged with trespassing on the property of the Boston & Northern Street Railway Co. He pleaded guilty and was fined $3. Toner with several other young men were on the premises about the power house in Middlesex street and despite the fact that there were several signs in conspicuous places, forbidding trespassing, they paid no attention to them. When the officer gave them chase they thumbed their noses at him, but he succeeded in getting Toner.

$8 FOR DRUNKENNESS.

Adam Wedera was charged with two offenses of drunkenness, one on Sunday and the second yesterday. He said he was guilty yesterday but not Sunday.

Wedera was arrested by Patrolman William Giroux Sunday morning and sent to the police station. Later in the day he was bailed and was told to appear in court yesterday morning. When he entered the court yesterday he was traveling in such a zig-zag manner that he was placed under arrest and locked up until this morning. He was fined $8 for being drunk on Sunday, yesterday's case being placed on file.

SENT TO STATE FARM.

It was John J. Smith's 42d appearance and his fourth within a year. State farm for him.

William F. Stonehan was three shy of Smith, it having been the former's 39th appearance. He will accompany Smith to the state farm.

Michael McGrath, a parole man, will be returned to Bridgewater.

There was one first offender, who was taxed the usual $2.

SHOWER OF SOOT

Greatly Annoyed People in Middlesex St.

There was a perfect shower of soot and cinders in Middlesex street yesterday afternoon. People who had occasion to pass along that street had difficulty keeping the dirt out of their eyes, and on the sidewalk there was a layer of black soot that covered the bricks and concrete. The soot and cinders came from one of the great corporation chimneys in that vicinity and the matter called forth protests from passersby.

LUNCH WAGONS

Four Applications for Licenses Filed

Four applications for night lunch cart licenses have been received at the office of the city clerk. The applicants are Martin Mack, who asks for licenses at the corner of Market and Central streets and the corner of Central and Green streets. John Burns asks for a location at the corner of Bridge and Page streets, and an application from John Mack reads, "corner of Central and Jackson streets."

The night lunch carts other than those that are occupying private land have been out of commission for the last few nights because of the new law which takes the matter out of the hands of the police and places it in the hands of the mayor and board of aldermen.

The aldermen will act in the matter tonight and, it is believed, will act favorably. The lunch cart has a great number and a peculiar variety of devotees, the patrons of the lunch cart include the newsboy, the straggler, the clerk, the laborer, the police officer, the business and professional men and others, and they are all out with a good word for the lunch cart, the place where one can jump in, get a sandwich and catch a car in five minutes.

SECRETARY TAFT

Will Find Trouble at the Canal

CARTHAGENA, Colombia, May 5.—The government of Colombia has reason to believe that the government at Panama is intriguing with Venezuela to declare war upon this country.

It is known that the occupation of Jurado, which is on the Atrato River, the boundary line between Panama and Colombia, has angered the Panama government. The occupation of Jurado was done on the advice of the American government, which held that it was clearly within Colombian territory. The attitude of the government of Panama has given the United States a good deal of solicitude.

One of Secretary Taft's chief missions to Panama is to try to adjust the matter. It is believed that the American government is aware of the effort of Panama to induce Venezuela to make war upon Colombia.

Passengers who have just arrived in New York from Colombia bring news of the presence of President Reyes at Santa Marta, a Colombian seaport over toward the Venezuela frontier line. His presence at Santa Marta is said to be connected with the Jurado incident—the occupation of this little town claimed by both Colombia and Panama and recently occupied by Colombian troops—and with the approaching visit of Secretary of War Taft.

Two boundary disputes enter into the situation that appears to be developing on the southern shore of the Caribbean. Castro wants a strip of Colombian territory on the east, and Panama is seeking to despoil Colombia, of which republic she was a state before the successful revolution of 1903, of certain territory along the Atrato River, which includes the town of Jurado.

Panama, it is declared, would like to embroil Colombia with Venezuela on the eastern frontier, as such an outcome would give her a better chance to force her claim for territorial extension on the western frontier. Venezuela and Colombia have fought over this boundary line before, and should the matter come again to a rupture a Venezuelan invasion might be expected. It is believed that General Reyes is at Santa Marta for the purpose of inaugurating preparations to resist any such development.

FORESTERS PROTEST

Appeal to Mayor Farnham for Right to Parade

A delegation from the Catholic Order of Foresters called at the city hall today to confer with Mayor Farnham relative to the attitude of the superintendent of police in respect to the parade which is to be held on Sunday May 31, in observance of the 25th anniversary.

Mr. Moffatt objected to the granting of a license for the parade and threatened, it is alleged, to prosecute the band that would head the parade should it take place.

It is putting it very mildly to say that the Foresters are incensed because of Mr. Moffatt's attitude. It is the French courts of the order that are particularly interested in the observance and they are going to have it out with Mr. Moffatt.

The result of the conference with the mayor this morning was not made public. It was stated, however, that the mayor said he would look into the matter and confer with the city solicitor and the superintendent of police.

Once upon a time Mr. Moffatt asked City Solicitor Hill's opinion as to his, the superintendent's rights, in allowing parades with bands, and the city solicitor said he could not find any law authorizing the superintendent so to do. This, however, was but a verbal opinion.

The fact remains that Lowell like other cities has had her parades and will continue to have them despite any objections that may emanate from the headquarters of the superintendent of police, who was spoken of today as the "czar of Lowell."

Every Forester in Lowell, regardless of nationality, is in sympathy with the courts that are preparing for the observance, and they do not go behind the door to say things about Mr. Moffatt's objections.

One of the delegation to call at the city hall this forenoon spoke right out and said that it looked like unjust discrimination on the part of Mr. Moffatt. "We will sift this thing to the bottom," he said. "It would seem that Mr. Moffatt is assuming a great deal of authority and we are going to find out where we are at. Lowell has had a number of very fine parades and no objections were ever offered. A parade is a lively feature, but perhaps Mr. Moffatt wants to kill all the 'lively' features so as to make it easy for himself and his officers.

"We will know what this means before we get through, and don't you forget it. This is an outrage and we will not stand for it."

City Solicitor Hill said today that it was not necessary for the Foresters or any other body of people contemplating a parade to go to Supt. Moffatt as he has not the authority to grant a permit or to withhold it. Mr. Hill says that the Foresters can go ahead and parade, having in mind the fact that should they block the street and seriously impede traffic they would be responsible to the police.

This version of the affair simplifies matters very much and representative Foresters said they would go ahead with the parade and they allowed there wouldn't be any blocking of streets. As to prosecuting a band for breaking the Sunday laws, that is looked upon as poppy corn.

The Foresters planned to have 1000 members of the order in town, and the observance program arranged was to be of a religious type. From Associate hall, the Foresters intended to march through Merrimack street to St. Jean Baptiste church, headed by a band from Manchester, N. H. Chief Marshal Michael Buot of the proposed parade went to Supt. Moffatt last week, and requested permission for the appearance of the band in the streets, and was surprised when informed that such permission would be refused.

The parade and general observance planned for Sunday, May 31, means a great deal to the French Catholic Foresters in Lowell. It means not only the observance of the 25th anniversary of the order, but the 40th anniversary of St. Joseph's church and the golden jubilee of Rev. Fr. Lefebvre, O. M. I., as well.

INTERPRETER LOST

Court Thought He Was Interested in Case

Manuel Vellozo, who conducts a boarding house at 504 Central street, was in court this morning charged with illegally keeping liquor, the seizure having been made Sunday by Inspectors Atkinson and Dwyer.

As the witnesses for the defense were foreigners and unable to speak the English language, it was necessary to press an interpreter into service. Considerable difficulty was found in getting an interpreter, but finally a person who said he was disinterested, was sworn. The interpreter was getting along fairly well until he started answering questions without asking the witness, and the court finally caught him in a box.

It was found that he was an interested party and a frequenter of the house where the liquor was found.

Inspector Atkinson said he visited Vellozo's premises at 504 Central street last Sunday noon. He had a search warrant and entering the house with Inspector Dwyer saw the defendant. In one room was a table and six chairs. In a sink in the room was a pan partly filled with water. There were glasses in the pan, a couple of the glasses having ale froth on them. There were two men in the room at the time.

"I went over to a closet and opening the door a man rushed out. Said Inspector Atkinson, "I shouted to Inspector Dwyer to stop him, and he did so. In the closet I found an eight gallon keg of ale on tap, a large pitcher containing about a quart of ale, a case containing twenty bottles of ale and two empty bottles.

"In another room was found a case of ale under a bed and in the proprietor's bedroom under the bed was a full case of ale."

Inspector Dwyer corroborated the testimony given by the previous witness.

Patrolman Hersey went to the house a couple of weeks ago and found forty men there. Each man had a bottle in his hand. They said that they were celebrating the boss' birthday.

James Fratus, who rooms at the house in question, said that the case of beer found under the bed in his room did not belong to him. Vellozo asked him if he could put the beer under his bed, and he gave his consent. Witness said that Vellozo asked him Sunday and Monday to go down to the police station and claim the beer.

Fratus said that Vellozo sold the beer and when asked as to how he knew, witness said the proprietor of the home sold him three bottles, for which he paid a quarter. The alleged transaction took place a week ago Sunday.

James Francisco was the first witness for the defense. He lives with the defendant at 504 Central street and said one of the cases of beer found by the officers belonged to him. He bought it so that he would have plenty to drink during the week. He said that the case that belonged to him was the one found in the room occupied by Fratus. Witness was not in the house when the beer arrived and that was the reason the case was put in the room occupied by Fratus.

At this point the interpreter was told to ask witness the following question: "What kind of beer was in the case?"

"Harvard," was the answer given by the interpreter without consulting the witness.

"How do you know?" shouted Deputy Welch to the interpreter.

"Well, I don't know."

"Why did you say Harvard without asking the question?" queried Judge Hadley.

"Well, it was just a slip of the tongue," said the interpreter.

"Yes, I guess you have made a number of slips of the tongue," retorted the deputy.

"Do you live at 504 Central street" continued the deputy.

"No."

"Do you visit that house?"

"Yes."

"And know the people?"

"Yes."

"Well, we do not want you as an interpreter," said Judge Hadley. "Get some disinterested person."

As it was after twelve o'clock at this time, it was decided to take a recess and continue the case in the afternoon.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

INTEREST
BEGINS
NEXT SATURDAY
Washington Savings Institution
587 CENTRAL STREET.

PARK BOARD MET

Petition to Remove An Old Tree

BROUGHT OUT REMONSTRANTS

Tree Obstructs View of Bank's Sign

The park commission at a meeting held last night considered a petition by Edward B. Carney to remove a tree in Shattuck street. The tree is a landmark and said to be more than 60 years old.

The petitioner said that the tree obstructed the view of the bank sign in Shattuck street and darkened the interior of the bank. He said the bank intended to build a granolithic wall but would not be able to do so unless the tree was removed.

The petition for the removal of the tree was signed by Mr. Maker who has a store in the bank building. His reasons for the removal of the tree were similar to those expressed by Mr. Carney. The petition was also signed by Dr. Burnham.

There were several remonstrants to the petition and they argued that the tree was not only a beautifier but a protection against the sun. The remonstrants included William E. Badger, Mrs. Spalding, Mr. White, A. J. Fay and Mr. Joy.

The petition was referred to Messrs. Hall and Green for a view.

The commission approved monthly bills.

THE LOWELL MEN

How They Voted on Salary Raise

The lower branch of the state legislature yesterday passed the bill increasing the salaries of judges of the supreme court from $5,000 to $10,000. Rep. Conley, Meehan and Varnum, of this city, voted against the measure and Reps. O'Donnell, Greenwood, Kittredge and Johnson voted in favor of raising the salaries.

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NOTICE

The city authorities having failed to provide suitable quarters which the increase of business in the department of weights and measures requires, I have rented workrooms at 64 Railroad street for one month, the rent to be paid from my present appropriation. I do this to comply with the law which says: "Cities and towns must provide a place where the inhabitants can bring their scales, measures, milk bottles, etc., and have them tested without expense. If they fail to bring them, then the sealer must go to their places of business and a charge will then be made."

NOTICE

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

Your attention is called to the following:

In accordance with the law of the commonwealth, the undersigned, sealer of weights and measures for the city of Lowell, hereby gives notice that from the seventh day of May till the 28th day of May he will be at 64 Railroad street daily except Saturday, and give attention to those who may call upon him for the purpose of having their scales, measures and milk bottles examined and approved. I will be at my present office in city hall on Saturdays for consultation. It is fair to presume that by the time this arrangement expires the city will have made some permanent arrangement for this department.

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ALBERT W. DAVID,
Chairman of Committee.

GRAND REGENT

Entertained Committee at Washington Club

WORK OF COMMITTEE PRAISED

By the Officials Who Attended Convention

Grand Regent John J. Hogan, of this city, entertained the local committee having in charge the arrangements for the entertainment of the grand council of the Royal Arcanum, at the recent session held in this city, at the Washington club last night. A. W. David, chairman of the committee, presided.

An excellent dinner was served by the club's chef and after the viands had been discussed Mr. J. S. Jackson presided at the piano, while a pleasing musical program was carried out, consisting of solos by Grand Regent Hogan, Supreme Representative A. G. Walsh, and Brothers E. E. Maynard, J. J. Ivers and N. R. Mahoney.

CHAIRMAN DAVID.

Chairman David read the following testimonial which was presented at the grand council session by a special committee appointed to convey the appreciation of that body for the hospitality and entertainment extended by the local members of the order and was unanimously adopted at the session:

Lowell, April 24, 1908.

To the Officers and Members of the Grand Council, Royal Arcanum, of Massachusetts:

Brethren: Your committee to whom was referred the very pleasant duty of conveying in fitting terms the appreciation of the members of this grand council to the councils of Lowell and vicinity, for the reception, hospitality and entertainment tendered during this session, respectfully submit the following:

The abundant evidence of royal good fellowship, including everything that wisdom could devise and fraternity prompt, has in large measure redeemed Massachusetts from the accusation of being cold and indifferent, and has given currency to the expression "southern hospitality" as of special local significance. The welcome extended by His Honor Mayor Farnham, which was timely, hearty and eloquently forceful, gave us the freedom of the city and municipal protection.

The concert in Assembly hall, including the music of Stafford's orchestra, the banquet in Banquet hall, which in all its appointments was served in exquisite taste, and with liberal allowance, will long be remembered.

The public meeting in Assembly hall, the entertainment by the "Musical Five," and the special exercises at the regular meeting of Highland council made us to feel that we would like to be in two places at the same time, alike for entertainment and instruction.

The trolley ride on this perfect morning was well planned, well executed and both delightful and healthgiving.

The courtesy of the Spindle City was extended through the management of the Hamilton mills, and was a revelation to all who entered and admired the mystery of the cotton product.

The souvenirs given out at room No. 6, with generous hand, and the offer of all as a gift which we had the courage to ask for, will impress the memory and the worth of our brethren in Lowell and vicinity so indelibly upon the tablets of our appreciative hearts and lives, that hallowed associations will henceforth cluster, rest and linger with our lavish benefactors and the 21st annual session of the grand council of Massachusetts.

We wish for you all many years of peace, prosperity and lives large abundant.

Respectfully submitted by V. M. C.,
Henry Goodwin,
Daniel R. Rockford,
Walter H. Hurley,
Committee.

The following resolutions were passed by the local committee before adjourning last evening:

Resolved, That the thanks of this committee be extended to His Honor Mayor Frederick W. Farnham for his presence and eloquent words of welcome at the opening of the grand council session; to the board of Lowell for the satisfactory and courteous manner in which they took care of our guests; to the board of trade, E. W. Hoyt Co. and U. S. Cartridge Co. for contribution of souvenirs which were highly prized by the visitors; to the press for generous and accurate reports of various functions and mention of the order; to Highland council, No. 970, R. A., for holding its meeting at Odd Fellows temple on the evening of April 23 and for services of its first class degree team and quartet; to the D. L. Page Co., for its elaborate banquet and excellent service; to Chas. E. Young and Bro. Thos. J. Goyette for attractive decorations that were favorably commented on; to the volunteer ushers at the public meeting; to the police and firemen for their services at the hall; to the Boston & Northern street railway and Supt. Maloney for courtesies in connection with the trolley rides; to the Hamilton company and Bro. John P. Green, for courtesies in connection with visit of guests to the mill; to Janitor Kittredge and his assistants at Odd Fellows temple; and to members of the order in Lowell and North Billerica; also people of Lowell generally for various generous assistance and courtesies extended during the two days of the grand council session.

It was announced during the evening that all bills incurred by the committee had been or would be paid in a few days, sufficient money being in the treasurer's hands to meet all indebtedness.

Before the committee adjourned a rising vote of thanks was tendered Grand Regent Hogan for his hospitality.

GOV. HUGHES

MAKES ANOTHER ATTACK ON RACE TRACK GAMBLING.

NEW YORK, May 5.—Delegates from the churches and hundreds prominent in the professions and the business world, filled Carnegie hall last night to hear Gov. Hughes address a mass meeting as a protest against race track gambling. The governor's speech was one of a series of addresses he is making throughout the state in the interest of anti-race track gambling legislation. He was the object of a demonstration when he appeared on the platform last night, which lasted several minutes and frequently during his speech the audience interrupted him with salvos of applause.

GRAND JURY

RESUMES INQUIRY INTO PAPER COMPANIES' AFFAIRS.

NEW YORK, May 5.—The federal grand jury yesterday resumed its inquiry into the affairs of the Manila and Fibre Paper Manufacturers association, particularly with reference to what is known as the "Parks pooling plan." The witnesses were Dr. James F. Campbell, president of the Sulphite Paper and Pulp company, of Dexter, N. Y.; James A. Otterson, of the Degrasse Paper company, of Carthage, N. Y.; David Kersey, employed in the offices of John H. Parks, secretary of the Manila and Fibre Paper Manufacturers association in this city, and Joseph S. Trueman, manager of an express company.

WENT TO THEATRE

The Building Committee Did Not Meet

MAYOR FARNHAM ALSO THERE

Two Boxes Occupied by City Fathers

The committee on lands and buildings was scheduled for a meeting at the city hall last night but a quorum was not present and there was no meeting. Hathaway's theatre had a greater attraction for the members of the committee than had business and they were out at Hathaway's in full force. Two boxes were occupied by our talented city fathers and Mayor Farnham was there too.

SUPREME COURT

TO HEAR CASE AGAINST TWO ALLEGED EMBEZZLERS.

BOSTON, May 5.—United States District Attorney Asa P. French received word from Washington late yesterday that the case of John W. Dickinson of Newton and Charles W. Foster, charged with the embezzlement of about $170,000 of the funds of the South Danvers National bank of Peabody, is to be heard on exceptions by the United States supreme court at an early day. The alleged embezzlement occurred in 1901, the amount of money said to have been misappropriated being nearly equal to the bank's capital, $150,000. Foster was cashier of the bank and Dickinson, who was a capitalist with interest in a big plant at Penacook, N. H., was a stockholder. The alleged embezzlement wrecked the bank and many prominent Essex county depositors never received their money. Dickinson and Foster were tried before a jury in the United States district court, but on account of the intoxication of one of the jurors the case was taken from the jury. At the second trial two of the jurors were taken ill but the defendants waived all rights and the trial proceeded with but ten jurors. Later a bill of exceptions was filed and a new trial was ordered.

ANOTHER BREAK

SPLIT AMONG REPUBLICANS IN KENTUCKY.

COVINGTON, Ky., May 5.—Republicans of the 6th Kentucky congressional district held two conventions yesterday and elected two sets of delegates to the national convention at Chicago and two presidential electors, but both conventions nominated John R. Inglis for congress.

The convention headed by Richard P. Ernest, elected Ernest and J. M. McPherson as delegates and instructed them for Taft.

The other convention presided over by William H. Schwerman selected Harry Weitkamp and J. T. Earle, as delegates, but did not instruct them.

Each convention indorsed the administrations of President Roosevelt and Governor Willson.

MADAM GOULD

AND THE PRINCE ARE STILL IN ROME.

ROME, May 5—Madame Anna Gould and Prince De Sagan have not left Rome. They gave it out last night that they were about to depart from this city and they carried out the preliminaries of leaving so well that many people were deceived. They are still at the Grand hotel here and have not yet decided when they will go away.

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TWO MOTH MEN

Report to Exterminate the Brown Tails

"Who is boss" is the matter which is bothering a number of laborers in the employ of the town of Billerica as a result of the contest between Dolan and Conley and as one of the men stated: "It is pretty hard to tell which side of the bread the butter is on." Complication is following complication and it looks as though the matter would have to be ironed out in the courts.

Yesterday Conley and Dolan, both of whom claim to be superintendent of the work of exterminating the browntail and gypsy moths, appeared at the place where the work is going on and the gang of eleven men at work were asked who they considered their boss. "I was Mr. Dolan, yes, Mr. Dolan, for he's the greatest man they ever knew." The residents of the town are now awaiting the next move.

CRADLE ROLL

OF THE PRIMARY DEPARTMENT BROUGHT LARGE ATTENDANCE.

There was a large attendance of the children of the cradle roll, kindergarten and primary departments of the First Trinitarian Congregational Sunday school at the May party, which was held in the vestries of the church on Saturday, May 2d, from 2 to 5 p. m. There was also a large attendance of the mothers of the children. There were games under the direction of Miss Elsie M. Cragin, superintendent of the kindergarten, and entertainment by the children themselves and stories by Rev. George F. Kenngott and Rev. Sarah A. Dixon. The children sat down together at the tables in the primary room for their refreshments, the room being beautifully decorated with blossoms and flowers, while the mothers were together in the kindergarten room. Mrs. G. E. Ames, superintendent of the primary department, Miss Elsie M. Cragin, superintendent of the kindergarten and Mrs. G. M. Heath, president of the Maternal Association, were in charge of the arrangements. The Maternal Association will meet on Thursday at 3 p. m. to plan for a social for the "shut-ins" and members of the home department.

WOMAN HELD

ON CHARGE OF MURDERING HER CHILD.

TAUNTON, May 5.—Charged with the murder of her infant child, Adelaide B. Cleary was held for the grand jury without bail in the district court before Judge Fox yesterday morning.

Only two witnesses were examined, Medical Examiner Silas D. Presbey and Dr. Sylvina A. Abbott, who was called to the house by Mrs. Ward, Mrs. Cleary's mother.

Judge Fox said he felt it his duty to hold Mrs. Cleary for examination in a higher court. If it is claimed it was the act of no one but the mother, and the mental condition of the mother was to be the defence, he thought it was something which should be gone into in another court.

TOUGH SLEDDING

ATLANTIC LEAGUE LOOKS BAD AT START.

WOONSOCKET, R. I., May 5.—On account of lack of support the Woonsocket team of the Atlantic league left town today without playing the game with Portland which was scheduled, and it is thought unlikely that there will be any more league games here.

The opening game of the season was to have been played last Saturday, but as only 30 spectators turned out to view it, Woonsocket forfeited the game to Portland. The fact that the Atlantic league grounds are at a distance from the city and that the Woonsocket baseball public is deeply interested in the local mill league series contributed to the lack of support.

President Hugh McBreen of the Atlantic league telephoned from Boston today that the Woonsocket players would be withdrawn from the city pending a decision as to a transfer. He gave it as his opinion that the team would begin next Wednesday playing out-of-town games under the name of Woonsocket, and would continue until it was determined whether the team should be transferred or should return here.

LAWYER SIAS

WAS DISBARRED BY JUDGE SCHOFIELD.

BOSTON, May 5.—Charles B. Sias, of New York, but formerly of this city, where for 11 years he has been a member of the Suffolk bar, was yesterday disbarred by Judge Schofield of the superior court on petition of the bar association. June, 1904, Sias is alleged to have delivered to former Police Inspector Herbert E. Chapman $500 to influence corruptly Inspectors McGarr and Morrissey to testify falsely and to suppress testimony in disbarment proceedings against Preston B. Runyan.

BAILEY WINS

HE AND HIS ASSOCIATES ELECTED DELEGATES.

FORT WORTH, Tex., May 5.—Almost complete returns yesterday from the state democratic primaries held on Saturday give Senator J. W. Bailey and his associates on the ticket as delegates to the democratic national convention a majority of from 18,000 to 20,000 over the delegates headed by Cone Johnson. The total vote was 219,972.

SECOND DEGREE

LOCAL K. of C.'s WILL OFFICIATE AT NASHUA TONIGHT.

The second degree will be exemplified at Nashua council, Knights of Columbus, tonight by Grand Knight McNabb and staff of Lowell council. The male choir of Lowell council will also officiate and the local Knights will leave on a special car at 7 o'clock.

NORTH CHELMSFORD

Albert B. Metcalf and Joseph Hoyle of the Moore Spinning company sailed today on the Saxonia for a six weeks' trip to England, where they will visit relatives in Bradford.

CAMBRIDGE MAN

Murdered Annie Mullins the Police Say

MOTORMAN GAVE THE INFORMATION

That May Lead to Arrest Soon

BOSTON, May 5.—A new clew was found by the Arlington police yesterday in the Annie Mullins murder mystery, which establishes the fact that the slayer of the girl was a resident of Cambridge. The police say it looks so promising that an arrest is looked for soon.

The information was furnished by Motorman Michael J. Donnelly, who lives on Raymond street, Cambridge, and is connected with the North Cambridge division of the Boston Elevated company.

Donnelly told the authorities that on the evening of the tragedy, March 27, a young man rode with him on the front vestibule of his car from Porter's station to Shepard street, and spoke of an engagement with a young friend. He addressed Donnelly by name.

Donnelly gives a description which tallies closely to that of one of the suspects already interrogated.

Shepard street leads conveniently to Walker street, where is located the home of Prof. von Jagemann, where Miss Mullins was employed. Furthermore, the time closely tallies with that when Mrs. von Jagemann saw Annie talking with someone at the side door.

The police think the man who rode to Shepard street was the one who called on Annie Mullins, and that at the termination of a quarrel during a stroll he killed her in Squires field. The fact that the man knew Donnelly by name causes them to believe that he must have been a resident of the district and familiar with that and surrounding localities.

Another man was in the car vestibule who could vouch for Donnelly's story, and the police are anxious to locate him in the hope of getting a better description.

It was for the purpose of locating him, if possible, that Dist. Atty. Higgins decided yesterday to make public this latest bit of evidence.

Motorman Donnelly told his story for the first time at the latest session of the inquest held in Cambridge last Wednesday, but the district attorney did not agree to make it public until yesterday, following a conference with State Officer Byrnes, Inspector Hooley of the Arlington police and Judge Stone.

"Motorman Donnelly and Conductor T. B. Huce of 13 Meacham road, North Cambridge," said the district attorney, "were to start on a Dudley car from the North Cambridge car barn at 7.11 o'clock that evening. But as they were late on arriving, a 'set-back car' was sent out to meet them. This car was driven by Motorman J. B. Hennessey. When the 'set-back' car reached Rice street, the first stop from the car barn, it met the incoming car with Donnelly and Huce on it, and they transferred to take the car through to Dudley street on their next trip.

"In the vestibule of the car which they changed to was riding a man who must have got on shortly after the car left the car barn. This man was on the car when the young men boarded it at Porter station, to ride but a few blocks o Shepard street, and on that account the authorities would like to have him come forward

CHORAL SOCIETY

THE ANNUAL MEETING ON THURSDAY.

The annual meeting of the Lowell Choral Society for the election of officers and the transaction of other business will be held in Odd Fellows hall, Middlesex street, Thursday, May 7th, at 8 p. m. promptly. It is hoped that every member of the society will be present to hear the reports for the year an dto plan for the future. In addition to the members, all others who are interested in the work of the society are cordially invited to attend.

FOUND DEAD

WOMAN HAD PLACED GAS TUBE IN MOUTH.

BOSTON, May 5.—Mary C. Perkins, a widow, 35 years old, was found dead in her rooms at 692 Tremont street last night, having committed suicide by placing a gas tube in her mouth after turning the gas on. Her act is believed to have been caused by despondency and nervous trouble. She was employed as a housekeeper for William Ferris. Her body was taken to the city hospital morgue.

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THE DEMOCRATS

Will Hold Their State Convention Saturday

BOSTON, May 5.—The sub-committee of the executive committee of the democratic state committee last night decided to engage headquarters for the "night before" the convention at the Quincy House. There the democratic delegates who are interested in the proceedings of the state convention will meet on Wednesday evening. Those present at the meeting last night were Joseph P. Lomasney, the Hon. Thomas J. Collins and J. J. McCarthy.

No new developments have arisen that would tend to show that the Bryan and Williams men of the state will not control the convention absolutely.

There seems to be no discordant note as yet sounded against the convention policy of the Bryan and Williams aggregation.

It looks as though the convention Thursday would be slimly attended. It is thought that the so-called conservatives will not take a particularly active part, knowing that the convention will be controlled by Mr. Williams.

The slate for the four delegates at large is: George Fred Williams of Dedham, Dr. John W. Coughlin of Fall River, John B. Moran of Boston and Daniel F. Doherty of Westfield.

MADE ARREST

BOSTON WOMAN ACTED AS POLICEMAN.

BOSTON, May 5.—Mrs. Bertha Halfyard enacted the role of a police officer with entire success recently. Alone and unattended, she accosted a former lodger, Ralph H. Tracy, and took him to the Lagrange street station, where he was placed under arrest upon her complaint.

The "arrest" was made on crowded Washington street, in front of Keith's theatre, and the prisoner was marched to Boylston street, back to the Adams House and thence to the police station. Never once did a real policeman appear. However, it made no difference, as Mrs. Halfyard was equal to the emergency.

Yesterday morning Tracy was convicted in the municipal court and sentenced to one year on the Island. Judge Sullivan was amazed when he heard that no officer had been instrumental in effecting the arest of the prisoner, but he recovered sufficiently to pronounce sentence.

$30,000 FEE

GREEN SAYS HE PAID IT TO RUEF.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 5.—The prosecution in the trial of Abraham Ruef, charged with offering a bribe to Supervisor Jennings Phillips, in connection with a trolley franchise for the Parkside Realty company, dismissed indictments yesterday against W. I. Brobeck and G. H. Umbsen, who, with J. L. Green, were jointly indicted with Ruef in the Parkside case. Brobeck has already testified for the state and Umbsen will follow Green on the stand, for the state. Green, president of the Realty company, whose indictment was dismissed last week, testified yesterday to employing Ruef as attorney for a fee of $30,000 to get a trolley franchise from the board of supervisors, after other means to get the franchise had failed.

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PREMIER ASQUITH

Again Asked to Explain Stand on Home Rule Issue

LONDON, May 4.—Dissatisfied with Premier Asquith's answers on the subject of home rule for Ireland, given in reply to a question, the unionists again raised this question in the house today. The premier stated that he was not responsible for the construction placed by John E. Redmond and the Irish league on the utterances of Winston Spencer Churchill during his Manchester campaign. The only statement the premier authorized was that it was impossible for anyone to determine now what issues would be placed before the country at the next general election but the disenabling pledge given at the last election could apply only to the existing parliament and thereafter the liberal party would claim to possess an absolutely free hand to deal with the whole problem of Irish government. Mr. Asquith reiterated that the policy of the liberal government had been plainly expressed in his speech in the house of commons on March 30 and in the amended resolution then adopted. The resolution was as follows:

"In the opinion of this house a solution of this problem can only be attained by giving the Irish people legislative and executive control of all purely Irish affairs, all subject to the supreme authority of the imperial government."

BOY WAS KILLED

By Being Thrown Against Lee Rail

BOSTON, May 4.—The steamer Admiral Sampson which arrived here from Jamaica today brought the body of Richard J. Besse, 18 years old, of Hanson, Mass., a student of the Massachusetts training ship Enterprise, but serving as a member of the crew of the Sampson temporarily who was killed yesterday while the steamer was off Nantucket by being thrown against the lee rail.

Young Besse who had a year's leave of absence from the Enterprise, was assisting in putting on the forehatch when a heavy sea boarded the vessel and hurled him to the side. He was picked up unconscious and died shortly after. His body was sent to the home of his parents today.

PRIVATE BUWALDA

ARRESTED FOR PLEDGING AID TO EMMA GOLDMAN.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 4.—In the Fort Mason guardhouse is Private Buwalda of Company A, first battalion of engineers. Buwalda had been identified as the soldier who shook hands with Emma Goldman at a meeting of anarchists and pledged her his assistance. The identification was made by detectives of the police force and he was placed under arrest. Buwalda will be brought before a court martial.

INDIAN STOCKS

AFFECTED BY NEWS FROM THE FRONTIER.

LONDON, May 4.—The serious news regarding the Indian frontier situation adversely affected consols as well as Indian stocks on the stock exchange this morning. The latter declined 1 to 1 1-2 points under fair offerings while consols, which opened at 86, declined to 85 3-4, representing a loss of 9-16 since Saturday.

A NATIVE PLOT

To Murder Europeans by Use of Bombs

CALCUTTA, May 4.—The police are investigating the native plot revealed yesterday to murder Europeans by means of bombs, and the more they go into the matter the more serious and widespread the conspiracy appears. Documents seized at the house where the bombs and explosives were being manufactured reveal that it was part of the plot to kill Lord Kitchener, commander-in-chief of the British forces in India, and other high officials. The authorities believe they are facing an attempt at revolution. A number of prominent Begalese are implicated and sensational arrests are expected to follow.

BOTH CONFESSED

MEN WERE CHARGED WITH STEALING $63,000.

LAREDO, Texas, May 4.—It was learned here today that through the activity of the police of Mexico City the robbers of $63,000 from the Wells-Fargo Express Co. are in jail and both men have confessed. They are Luis Cutting, chief clerk in the general offices of the express company and Rodolfo Avarez, alias Rodriguez, the express messenger who disappeared in Aguas Calentes. The police found the stolen money in Cutting's room.

A SUICIDE

MAN KILLED HIMSELF IN HOTEL NETHERLANDS.

NEW YORK, May 4.—A man who registered at the Hotel Netherlands at Fifth avenue and 59th street last night as H. Schuyler, Boston, committed suicide today by shooting. The police believe the name Schuyler was fictitious as the dead man's underclothing bore the name A. R. Schuster.

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EXPLORER RICE

Denies That Cannibals Attacked Him

BOSTON, May 4.—After many other scientists had failed, a Bostonian, Dr. A. Hamilton Rice, has explored the Guariari Hills in South America, and discovered the true source of the River Vaupes.

Dr. Rice, who has a record as a Harvard athlete, arrived in Boston yesterday after a year and a half spent in South American wilds. He found that the Vaupes has its origin in a small affluent known as the Unilla River.

Dr. Rice is a member of the Geographical Society of Paris and of the Royal Geographical Society of London. It was at the wish of Colonel George L. Church, president of the latter society, that Dr. Rice undertook his long and exhaustive study of the River Vaupes.

While a student at Harvard Dr. Rice spent his summers tramping through Europe. After graduating from Harvard medical school and spending some years at the Massachusetts General hospital as microscopic expert he became interested in ethnology and its allied studies, and since has devoted most of his time to these sciences.

In 1901 he left this country to undertake the trip from Quito to the Amazon by way of the Napo River. This expedition won for him the election as fellow in the Royal Geographical society.

In January last year Dr. Rice embarked on his second expedition to South America and despite the rumors of his death has returned hale and hearty, ready for even greater conquests. He denied that Cannibals had attacked him.

DOG AS PARTNER

Newark Man Forms Queer Corporation

NEW YORK, May 4.—Frank M. Weiler, a real estate and insurance man of Newark has a dog as a business partner. The canine is a little fox terrier called Tassels and is legally registered at the Essex county court house as a member of the firm of "F. M. Weiler & Co." Application for the partnership papers were made by Mr. Weiler and the document was sworn out before a notary public. The partner or company part of the firm is designated as "Weiler, fox terrier Tassels." Weiler insists that the legal terms of the incorporation are carried out by the company and that Tassels receives his share of the profits. The senior member admits, however, that his partner has not concerned himself to any extent in any of the actual real estate or any other transactions conducted by the company.

Weiler is looked upon by Newark business men as accentric but with a shrewd knowledge of business affairs.

THE ZIONISTS

ARE ASKED TO CONTRIBUTE TO A FUND.

NEW YORK, May 4.—Joseph Cowen was the principal speaker of the American Federation of Zionists at Clinton hall last night. He was cheered for fully five minutes when he was introduced and repeatedly applauded as he painted a glowing picture of a Jewish "world power" in Palestine. When Mr. Cowen called on his hearers for contributions in dollars and cents there was an ominous silence. Then he said:

"I notice that the cheering has ceased; I notice that your enthusiasm has died down; but I tell you we have got to give material aid. Our last congress voted unanimously for a Jewish national fund and called on every Zionist to contribute not less than five francs to it. Yet up to the sixth of last month only $10,000 had been collected by the Zionists of the United States and $500 of that came from St. Louis. Let us show our enthusiasm by material deeds."

Mr. Cowen said the Zionist movement was greater than a religious one, for it was a national movement. The speaker was introduced as a second Moses. He came from London.

THOMAS J. SULLIVAN

DIRECTOR OF BUREAU OF ENGRAVING IS DEAD.

WASHINGTON, May 4.—Thomas J. Sullivan, director of the bureau of engraving and printing, died in this city today.

FROM YESTERDAY'S LATE EDITION

JONATHAN JOHNSON

Spent An Enjoyable Time in California

Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Johnson of this city have returned from Pasadena, Cal., where they spent the winter months. Mr. Johnson is pursuing his 90th birthday and went to California for his health and to sell patent rights.

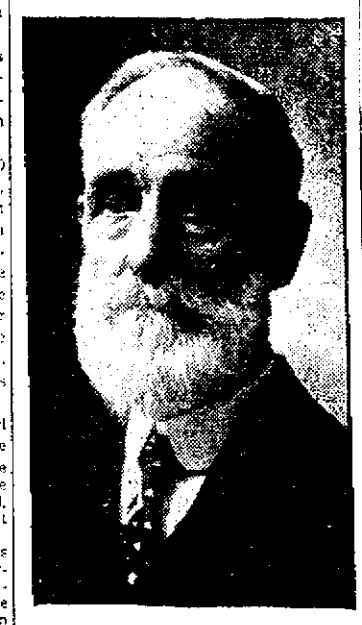
Mr. Johnson is known as Lowell's veteran optician, watchmaker and inventor. A very small percentage of inventors are successful and Mr. Johnson is one of the few.

Once upon a time he received $10,000 for a car heater, $3300 for a horseshoe, $2000 for a gas meter and he says that his latest invention which is still on his hands is the greatest of all his endeavors. It is a water heater and he says it will discount anything in the world. He says it will mean hot water in a few seconds and it will be suitable for any place where hot water is used. Mr. Johnson is particularly proud of his invention.

Speaking of his Californian trip he said he was very much delighted with the climate of Pasadena. "California," he said, "is the paradise of America. The climate in Pasadena is simply delightful, and when you say that you say about all.

"It is a city of about 40,000 inhabitants and the times are not any more prosperous there than they are here. I counted 60 vacant stores in Pasadena. The winter months are the best months in that country. Wealthy people have elegant winter homes there and when the spring time comes they close their houses and go away. The east is the place to make money and California is the place to enjoy it."

Mr. Johnson's next birthday will be in August and from present indications he will live to enjoy it for, despite his years, he is peculiarly alert in mind and body and he says he is feeling "fit as a fiddle."



JONATHAN JOHNSON.

He is still doing business at the old stand, the Savings bank building, 39 Shattuck street, rear of the Carleton and Hovey drug store.

LIVELY RUNAWAY

Horse Made Wild Dash in Middlesex Street

A horse attached to a meter wagon belonging to the Lowell Electric Light corporation made a wild dash through Middlesex street this morning, but fortunately the animal was captured before any damage was done.

One of the employes of the company left the horse standing outside of the Richardson hotel, while he was doing some work. The animal got frightened at something and started to run through the street. As the horse came near the corner of King street it was going at a rapid rate of speed, but having a clear path did not collide with any other vehicle or strike any person.

As the animal turned into Central street at Towers' corner it slackened up a little and a pedestrian stopped it.

SIX WEDDINGS

AT THE GREEK CHURCH YESTERDAY AFTERNOON.

There were six weddings at the local Greek church yesterday afternoon, a fact that would indicate progress on the part of the members of the colony.

CIVIL SESSION

CASE OF EDWARD CAWLEY AGAINST M. DOYLE HEARD.

The case of Edward Cawley against Michael Doyle was heard before Judge Hadley in the civil session of the police court this afternoon. The plaintiff claims that the defendant owed him $160 for coal delivered, but the action is but for $80 as the other $70 indebtedness was contracted over six years ago and is outlawed.

MRS. SHERBURNE RESIGNS.

Mrs. Jean L. Sherburne has resigned her position in the First Universalist church choir and in all probability will sing in a church choir in Boston.

ANNUAL TOUR

OF THE FIRE HOUSES SLATED FOR THURSDAY.

The committees on lands and buildings will meet at 7.30 this evening and the park commission will meet at the same hour. The committee on fire department will meet Thursday afternoon and will make its annual tour of the fire houses. Thursday's meeting will be the committee's initial meeting.

The aldermen will meet in regular session tomorrow evening. It was stated that the mayor would call a special meeting of the common council for tomorrow evening, but it was given out at the office of the chief executive this forenoon that no call for a special meeting of the lower board would be called.

BIG RECEPTION

WILL BE TENDERED GRAND REGENT HOGAN IN BOSTON.

A number of the Royal Arcanum Councils in Boston are planning a big reception to the newly elected Grand Regent of the order, John J. Hogan of this city.

FIRST SUNDAY

FOR CATHOLIC MARRIAGES UNDER THE NEW LAW.

Yesterday was the first Sunday under the new marriage laws in the Catholic church and the aims and purposes were again outlined at the different churches.

OVER THE RIVER

Agitation to Boom Centralville Inaugurated

THOS. F. GARVEY POINTS THE WAY

And Booms Lowell Made Products

A meeting of the young men of Centralville was held yesterday for the purpose of booming the interests of Lowell in general and Centralville in particular. The principal speaker of the occasion was Thomas F. Garvey, the well known official of the cigar makers' union and formerly a member of the common council from ward two. Mr. Garvey in the course of his remarks spoke as follows:

We residents of Centralville must look to the interests of our section of the city and there is no better way of doing that than by properly organized agitation. We must agitate and agitate unitedly if we expect to see Centralville grow and become prosperous. We should have local pride to the extent that those in power will realize that Centralville insists on having her rights. Let me point out to you a few facts, which will establish Centralville's importance. The real estate of Centralville is valued at $5,000,000. The personal property of Centralville is valued at $428,000. The taxpaying citizens of Centralville pay to the city each year at a fair estimate, $117,000. The number of assessed polls of 1907 was 3315. The number of females on check list interested in selection of school committee, 82. We constitute a very important section of Lowell and yet we get very little recognition, owing to the fact that we have not insisted on having our rights. Is there any other section of our city which would tolerate our disease breeding dump? Is there any other section of our city which would stand idly by and see the streets in such a deplorable condition as ours are? Is there any other section of our city so openly neglected by our city government as Centralville is? Those thoughts suggest to us the necessity of booming Centralville. Let us at this time, say to our mayor and members of our city government that there are hundreds of our citizens out of work and plenty of work to be done if those in power wake up to a realization of their duties.

LOCAL HOTELS

Were Closed for Two Hours Yesterday

The local hotels were closed between the hours of ten and twelve o'clock yesterday morning in consequence of the suggestion made by the board of police that the hotel keepers refrain from serving drinks between those hours on the Lord's day.

Many a thirsty individual was surprised yesterday morning upon trying the hotel doors to find them closed, very few having thought of the edict set out by the board.

The liquor inspectors were on duty during the day and evening and found that in none of the hotels was there an infraction of the order.

FIGHT FOR LIBERTY

Harry Thaw's Battle Resumed in Supreme Court Today

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., May 4.—Harry K. Thaw's fight for liberty which has been in progress almost constantly since he shot down Stanford White on the Madison Square roof garden theatre nearly two years ago, was continued in the supreme court here today. Twice tried for the murder, the second time acquitted only to be sent to the Matteawan state hospital for the criminal insane, Thaw tomorrow will endeavor to prove his sanity and his right to complete freedom. The proceedings which began today were based upon a writ of habeas corpus taken out at the instance of the prisoner to procure his release from the asylum. The writ was issued by Justice Morschauser at White Plains on April 22.

A side light on Thaw's matrimonial affairs was contained in a statement given out by A. Russell Peabody, one of Thaw's counsel before the opening of court today. Young Mrs. Thaw, who has begun suit for the annulment of their marriage, has not seen her husband in more than two months. Mr. Peabody said, however, that Mrs. Thaw had offered herself as a witness in her husband's behalf should her testimony be necessary to obtain his freedom.

Thaw himself undoubtedly will go on the stand in his own behalf, Mr. Peabody said. He declared that the prisoner is willing to submit to any examination as proof of his sanity.

Mr. Peabody said he and Mr. Graham will oppose any attempt to have the case transferred to New York county while it was reported Assistant District Attorney Garvan would make the opening of the hearing.

"We want the case tried in Duchess county," said Peabody. "Thaw's place of confinement is here. The writ was made returnable here and we believe that the crowds of curiosity seekers which would be attracted in New York can be avoided in Poughkeepsie. We hold that the burden of proof rests upon Mr. Jerome to show that Thaw is insane. He has never been declared to be insane. Jerome's commission in the first trial adjudged him sane. The jury in the second trial deemed him insane at he time he killed Stanford White."

CARDS OF ADMISSION.

On account of the large court room being occupied with a regular term of the Duchess county court the supervisors' room in the court house was improvised for the court. As its capacity is not more than 200, cards of admission were issued by Sheriff Chanler. A score of women were among the spectators.

Harry Thaw reached the court room at 10.45. He was in the custody of Dr. Ames T. Baker, acting superintendent of the Matteawan asylum and two attendants.

THAW LOOKS WELL.

Thaw looked rugged and well and his color indicated that he has had plenty of outdoor life at Matteawan. He took a seat at the counsel table between Lawyers Graham and Peabody and at once entered into earnest conversation with Mr. Graham, who is in charge of the habeas corpus proceedings. A private detective sat behind Thaw and was joined later by Roger O'Mara, the Pittsburg detective, who helped in the preparation of Thaw's defense. Proceedings were delayed until after 11 o'clock owing to the late arrival of Assistant Dist. Atty. Garvan of New York.

In the court were Warden Flynn of the Tombs prison, New York, and nine or ten other attaches and three chaplains from the same prison, who had been summoned by Thaw to testify as to his behavior while in prison. The opening of the hearing was delayed by a conference between District Attorney Mack of Duchess county and Assistant Dist. Atty. Garvan of New York, who was endeavoring to transfer the case to New York county. Dr. Baker, the acting superintendent of the Matteawan asylum, was called into the conference.

GARVIN FILES WRIT.

Mr. Garvan and Mr. Mack appeared in court before noon accompanied by Assistant Dist. Atty. Johnstone. Mr. Garvan filed his writ and received from the district attorney his return to it. Dist. Atty. Mack then addressed the court and moved that the proceedings be changed to New York county.

COST $30,000.

Mr. Mack said he was informed that it would cost Dutchess county $30,000 to have the proceedings tried in Dutchess county. He thought it would be bad for the taxpayers of Dutchess county if the precedent were established that such cases must be tried here.

Mr. Garvan followed Mr. Mack in support of the motion. He said that the trial would involve sending commissions to Paris, Monte Carlo and other places in Europe to obtain evidence as to Thaw's sanity. He argued that the case should be concluded in the jurisdiction where it originated. Mr. Graham opposed this. He contended that the case should be tried under the statute in the judicial district where the habeas corpus was made returnable. He said that the statement of cost of the proceedings had been exaggerated. He added: "We strenuously object to having the case transferred to New York and our witnesses made subject to subpoena by the district attorney's office. There has been intimidation of witnesses before in that direction and we want none of it in these proceedings."

Justice Morschauser denied the motion to transfer the hearing but offered to sit in New York to hear the people's testimony if both sides were to consent.

Mr. Graham raised the question as to where Thaw should be confined during the proceedings and the court ordered his commitment to the Dutchess county jail. The jail is on the third floor of the courthouse directly over the courtroom.

THAW PLEASED.

Thaw smiled with pleasure at the announcement that he was to remain in the Poughkeepsie jail.

It was arranged to adjourn the proceedings to May 19 providing Mr. Jerome can be here on that day. After the relators side has been heard Judge Morschauser will sit in New York to accommodate Mr. Jerome and his witnesses. Mr. Graham intimated that he would not oppose the plan.

Adjournment was then announced and Thaw was conducted to the jail floor of the courthouse. He is in the custody of Sheriff Robert Chandler as the officer of the court. He will have a large room and his meals from a restaurant. He can receive any visitors he wishes to see.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

MERRIMACK RIVER BAPTISTS WILL MEET IN MERRIMAC.

A large number of those interested in Sunday school work in this city are preparing to take a trip to Merrimac, Mass., on Wednesday, where the 42nd annual meeting of the Merrimack River Baptist Bible School convention is to be held.

The convention will have delegates on hand from all of the churches in this section of the state, the most prominent churches in Lawrence, Lowell, Haverhill and other places along the river being represented. At the evening service the chief address will be delivered by Dr. W. J. Swafield, who will speak on "The Men's Class of 31, Anno Domini." The complete program for the day follows:

MORNING SESSION 10 A. M.

10.00—Devotional service, conducted by Rev. Joseph McKean, Mt. Washington Baptist church, Haverhill.

10.15—Call to order. Appointment of the committees.

10.20—Address, Rev. J. L. Campbell, D. D., Cambridge. "The Forgotten Secret."

11.10—The secretary's report.

11.30—"The Relation of the Sunday School to Missions." Rev. A. R. Dilks, Branch street, Church, Lowell. (Discussion.)

12.10—Address of welcome, Rev. S. L. Morse, Merrimac.

12.15 Dinner.

AFTERNOON SESSION 1.45 P. M.

1.45—Praise service, conducted by Rev. C. H. Howe, North Billerica.

2.00—Business. Report of committees. Election of officers.

2.30—Address.

3.00—Address, "The S. S. in the Commonwealth," Mr. W. W. Main, Boston.

3.20—Offering for state work.

3.30—"The Making of a Live S. S." Opening congress, conducted by Clarence B. Mitchell, Supt. First Baptist S. S. Haverhill.

4.30—Address, "Workers Together With God." Rev. F. A. Macdonald, Fifth Street Baptist church, Lowell.

EVENING SESSION, 7 P. M.

7.00—Service of praise and prayer, in charge of Rev. E. O. Taylor, Georgetown. Anthem, choir, Merrimac Baptist church.

7.20—Unfinished business.

7.25—Scripture reading, Rev. R. B. Fisher, Methuen Baptist church. Prayer, Rev. R. L. Webb, Ph.D., Portland Street Baptist church, Haverhill.

7.45—Address, Rev. W. J. Swaffield, Ph.D., First Baptist church, Lawrence, "The Men's Class of 31, Anno Domini."

8.30—Adjournment.

VREELAND BILL

Was Tabled by Banking Committee

WASHINGTON, May 4.—The house committee on banking and currency today voted 13 to 3 to lay the new Vreeland financial bill on the table. Those voting in the negative were Messrs. Burton, Weeks and McKinley. It was decided to ask that the committee be given sufficient time, a week if possible, for the discussion of all pending currency measures pursuant to and under the ordinary rules of the house. Chairman Fowler of the committee will today request Speaker Cannon for this permission.

Miss Sarah Keenan of the C. L. Hood Co. attended the dancing party given by The 20th Century Club of Boston at Hotel Somerset, Friday evening.

WAGES REDUCED

IN THE ST. CROIX COTTON MILLS.

CALAIS, Me., May 5.—Notices were posted yesterday in the St. Croix cotton mills at Milltown announcing a reduction of 10 per cent. in wages Monday, May 11. The mills are running on a curtailed basis due to a dull market. About 500 hands are affected.

LICENSE MONEY

House Refused Bill a Third Reading

BOSTON, May 4.—The Massachusetts house today refused to order to a third reading a bill providing that the commonwealth shall retain one half the fees received from liquor licenses in the various cities and towns. The commonwealth receives one fourth of the license revenue under the present law.

CAR CAUGHT FIRE

Contents of Mail Car Destroyed

SHARON, May 5.—One of the mail cars of the postal train leaving Boston at 10.45 last night by way of the Providence division of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad for New York, was set on fire by the explosion of a lamp while the train was running between Sharon and Sharon Heights, and was burned with all its contents. In the car was a large quantity of package mail. Upon reaching Sharon Heights the car was cut free from the rest of the train and was shunted to a siding, where it continued to burn while the rest of the train proceeded.

The train was made up of nine cars, including seven mail cars and two cars of the Adams Express company. The burned car was nearly in the middle of the train. When the lamp exploded in the car, the burning oil was scattered over the entire interior and a number of the mail clerks had a narrow escape from serious burns. Everybody in the car was compelled to flee to the other cars of the train, the flames bursting quickly from every part of the interior. As quickly as possible, the engineer was notified of the accident and made a record run to Sharon Heights to reach the siding. By the time the train arrived there the flames were bursting from the car and were trailing behind with the motion of the train, threatening to set fire to the following cars. It required hasty work to get the cars unshacked from the train after reaching Sharon Heights, but the mail men assisted the train hands and the task was accomplished successfully. None of the other cars was injured. The train proceeded on its way to New York after a short delay.

It was impossible last night to obtain an estimate of the probable value of the contents of the doomed car.

KILLED HIMSELF

DEPUTY MINISTER OF CROWN LANDS A SUICIDE.

FREDERICKTON, N. B., May 5.—A sensation was caused here yesterday by the suicide of William P. Flewelling, deputy minister of Crown Lands in the New Brunswick government. Flewelling shot and killed himself in one of the government buildings just as an expert accountant was about to begin an examination of the deputy minister's books.

The present government, which recently assumed office, decided to have all the provincial accounts audited notwithstanding that they were examined by an expert engaged by the retiring government. The accountant who has charge of the present investigation proposed to begin work in Flewelling's department last night. Flewelling requested that examination be held over until today. The request was not granted.

So far as can be learned Flewelling had not been under suspicion and it is not known that his accounts were incorrect.

He was 52 years of age, and had been in the employ of the government since a young man. He held the office of deputy minister of Crown Lands under previous governments, and he was not disturbed when Premier Hazen's government succeeded the Robinson administration early last month.

SHOT HIMSELF

SUPERINTENDENT OF SUNDAY SCHOOL A SUICIDE.

BOSTON, May 5.—William J. Sanderson, superintendent of the Linden Congregational Sunday school, committed suicide in the store room at the Davidson Rubber company's plant in Charlestown by shooting himself through the head with a revolver late yesterday. Sanderson had been suffering from a nervous trouble for some time. He was prominent in the Linden district of Malden. He was 49 years old and leaves a widow and two small children.

$25,000.00 IN BONDS.

NEW YORK, May 5.—The easement of the monetary situation was sharply reflected yesterday in the sale of $25,000.00 worth of municipal revenue bonds, bearing interest at 3¾ per cent. and extending a term of six months.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

Entertainment and Dance

TONIGHT

TIME—Tonight, May 5
PLACE—Associate Hall
ORCHESTRA—The Calumet
TALENT—Y. M. C. I. Dramatic Club
OBJECT—For Benefit of Day Nursery

Entertainment Under the Direction of Mr. John J. Quinn

Don't Miss It, I'm Going

Tickets 25c **Admits to All**

BADLY BEATEN

Winn's Woozy Wonders Wofully Walloped

HAVERHILL, May 5.—Haverhill won easily from Lowell, 11 to 1, in yesterday's game. The visitors were forced to use three pitchers, Warner being removed after the fifth inning, while Dam lasted but one inning, the last four being pitched by Silcox. Perkins' home run on a centerfield hit was the first of the season. The score:

HAVERHILL.

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Billet, lf	4	2	1	1	0	0
Barton, 2b	4	1	0	2	4	0
Hamilton, cf	1	2	2	0	0	0
Boardman, 3b	5	2	3	0	3	0
Courtney, rf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Uniac, ss	3	2	2	1	0	0
Collins, 1b	3	1	0	11	1	0
Perkins, c	5	1	3	7	1	0
Girard, p	4	0	0	0	5	0
Totals	35	11	11	27	17	0

LOWELL.

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Rhoddy, 1b	2	0	0	7	1	0
Wolfe, 2b	3	0	0	2	3	0
Howard, c	1	0	1	2	0	0
Duff, rf	1	1	1	1	0	0
Shannon, ss	3	0	0	0	3	1
Cotter, lf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Duggan, c	3	0	0	3	1	0
McLane, c	0	0	0	2	0	0
Harris, 3b	3	0	2	3	1	0
Warner, p	1	0	0	0	1	1
Dam, p	1	0	0	0	1	1
Silcox, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	28	1	5	24	10	2

Haverhill	1	1	1	1	3	4	0	0	*—	11
Lowell	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—	1

Two base hits—Hamilton 2, Cotter, Uniac, Perkins, Harris. Home run—Perkins. Hits—Off Warner 11 in 5 innings; off Dam 2 in 1 inning; off Silcox 1 in 3 innings. Sacrifice hits—Rhoddy, Shannon, Barton, Uniac. Stolen base—Boardman. Double play—Boardman, Barton and Collins. Left on bases—Haverhill 9, Lowell 5. First on balls—Off Girard 2, off Warner 2, off Dam 2. Hit by pitchers—Wolfe, Courtney and Collins. Struck out—By Girard 5, by Warner 1, by Dam 1. Passed ball—Perkins. Wild pitch—Silcox. Time—1 38. Umpire—Joseph O'Brien.

DIAMOND NOTES

Haverhill plays here today.

President Winn still has his hooks out for new players. He took up Dam in Haverhill yesterday after letting him go last year.

Hennessy, a promising North Billerica player, is slated for a try-out with the Lowell team.

Already some of the fans are picking winners for the season. As yet none has selected Lowell to do the thing. Manager Daley banks on getting in the first division.

President Winn by looking over the players in the local Catholic league might find some good material.

The Atlantic league is having a most discouraging opening.

Brooklyn has decided to hold on to Simmy Murch and hence Brockton will be without a first baseman. Klobedanz will officiate.

The following has been going the rounds of the baseball columns:

Umpire "Silk" O'Loughlin made a ruling in Wednesday's game at Detroit which practically puts the squeeze play out of existence. When Dougherty started to steal home in the third inning Siever was standing on the rubber ready to deliver the ball to the plate, and as soon as Pat started in Payne ran up in front of Davis and caught the ball, preventing George taking a swing at it.

Fielder Jones declared he had been interfered with, but O'Loughlin's ruling was that as long as Siever had not started to wind up his delivery he had a right to throw the ball to the plate to stop a runner, the same as he had to throw to first or any other base.

Rule 31 of the playing rules describes a fair ball as any ball delivered to the plate while the catcher is standing on the rubber and the ball is over the plate. Any fairly delivered ball must be called a strike. An unfairly delivered ball is a ball that is delivered to plate which does not come over the plate, and the umpire must call it a ball.

Manager Jones declared that any ball delivered while the pitcher is standing on the rubber is either a ball or a strike, and that the catcher is has no right to run up on the batter and prevent him taking a swing. According to the rules made by O'Loughlin the squeeze play is practically killed, because the runner might start before the pitcher winds up, although he is on the rubber ready to deliver the ball.

Umpire O'Loughlin's decision does not necessarily stop the squeeze play. On the contrary, it points out the only way to make it safe. The runner should not start for home until the pitcher starts to wind up, then the play can be made right.

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Cleveland	9	6	60.0
Philadelphia	11	7	55.8
New York	9	7	56.2
St. Louis	9	8	52.9
Chicago	8	8	50.0
Boston	7	10	41.2
Washington	7	10	41.2
Detroit	5	9	35.7

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS

At Washington—New York 11, Washington 5.

At Philadelphia—Philadelphia 3, Boston 2.

At St. Louis—Detroit 1, St. Louis 0. (Called end of seventh inning—Rain.)

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Chicago	11	3	78.6
Pittsburg	8	4	66.7
New York	9	7	56.2
Boston	9	8	52.9
Philadelphia	8	8	50.0
Cincinnati	5	7	41.7
Brooklyn	7	10	41.2
St. Louis	3	13	18.8

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Boston—Boston 6, Brooklyn 2.

At New York—New York 12, Philadelphia 2.

At Chicago—St. Louis-Chicago, postponed, rain.

At Cincinnati—Cincinnati-Pittsburg game postponed, rain.

NEW ENGLAND STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Lynn	3	0	1.000
Brockton	3	1	1.000
Haverhill	3	1	1.000
Worcester	1	2	.333
Lawrence	1	2	.333
Fall River	1	2	.333
New Bedford	1	2	.333
Lowell	0	3	.000

NEW ENGLAND LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Haverhill—Haverhill 11, Lowell 1.

At New Bedford—New Bedford 4, Worcester 3.

At Fall River—Brockton 7, Fall River 0.

At Lynn—Lynn 5, Lawrence 1.

GAMES TODAY.

(N. E. League.)

Haverhill at Lowell.
Lynn at Lawrence.
Worcester at New Bedford.
Brockton at Fall River.

(American League.)

Boston at Philadelphia.
New York at Washington.
Cleveland at Chicago.
Detroit at St. Louis.

(National League.)

Brooklyn at Boston.
Philadelphia at New York.
Chicago at Pittsburg.

BASEBALL NOTES

The New York Nationals have lost three games in succession. That may not happen again all season.

Were we a ball player inclined toward eccentricity we think we would rather be a "Tacks" than a "Bugs."

In Washington they say Niles fits in much better in the Highlander infield than did Jimmy Williams. There is no doubt that Niles has been a valuable man for Griffith's team.

"Always play your game if you possibly can; never postpone unless it is absolutely necessary," was a piece of advice once given by Harry Wright to Bill Shettsline of the Phillies.

"The Browns and the Naps are the hardest teams in the league to beat just now," says a Chicagoan. How the deuce he knows that before having stacked up against the eastern teams passes comprehension.

Within the last few years there has been a tendency toward the garish in baseball uniforms. There's too much insignia and curlicue business. The only really artistic diamond apparel brought out in recent seasons was that of the Pittsburg club.

TUBERCULOSIS CAMP

Was Opened Last Night for the Season

The tuberculosis camp at the Lowell General hospital was opened yesterday and twenty patients slept there last night. The camp is large enough to accommodate twenty-eight patients and twenty is looked upon as a big opening.

The first year that the camp opened there were but five patients on the opening day and last year there were seven enrolled on the opening day. Two more patients are expected within a few days and then there will be room for but six more.

Four of the patients who reported yesterday are young women and they occupy the shack erected by contributions from the Young Women's Guild of the city. The shack was built and furnished by members of the organization and is quite comfortably located and furnished.

IN NEW BALLOON

Holland Forbes Made Ascension Today

NORTH ADAMS, May 5.—In his new balloon, "The Conqueror," A. Holland Forbes of New York made an ascension from Aero park this morning. It was the first flight of the new balloon which is the largest in America, having a capacity of 85,000 cubic feet of gas. Today's ascension was notable also for the reason that it was the first Mr. Forbes has made since receiving his pilot's license from The Aero Club of America. Mr. Forbes piloted "The Conqueror" today. He was accompanied by the builder of the balloon, Leo Stevens, William and Henry Whitehouse, both of New York. Just previous to the ascent the balloon was christened by Nathalie Forbes, the 11-year-old daughter of the owner, who broke a bottle of champagne over the anchor.

The balloon made a splendid "get away," rising to a great height and then sailing rapidly eastward before a brisk westerly breeze.

TOWN FIRE SWEPT

Fire Threatens Its Destruction

COALTON, O., May 5.—Fire threatens destruction of the business district. The police station, the town hall and the fire department have already been destroyed. A heavy wind is blowing. Coalton is in Jackson county and has about 1500 inhabitants.

THE POLICE BOARD

Granted a License to Cushing & Dawson

The police board met in special session late yesterday afternoon, Commissioner Hanson being absent.

During the early part of the afternoon a visit was made to the premises at 9 Thorndike street where Cushing & Dawson had applied for a liquor license after which the commissioners returned to the office and issued the license, the necessary ten days having transpired.

It was also voted to give a hearing tonight to Gardner Pearson who has asked for a reconsideration of the refusal of the board to grant an innholder's license to John C. King.

So far as could be learned no action was taken on the Joyce application.

Advance agents for two "shows," the Buffalo Bill's Wild West troupe and Barnum & Bailey's circus, appeared before the board for permits to appear in this city. Barnum & Bailey's show is scheduled for June 3, and the Wild West outfit for July 8.

THE CONVENTION

OF STEEL WORKERS OPENED AT YOUNGSTOWN, N. H.

YOUNGSTOWN, N. H., May 5.—The annual convention of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers opened here today. The convention will be in session from two to three weeks and will fix the scale of wages for union workers for the year beginning July 1, 1908.

COMMON SENSE VS. STRONG DRUGS.

Simple Oil of Wintergreen Cures Eczema and Drives Out Old Fogy Treatment.

If you were to hack your finger or scald your arm you would apply some healing remedy as soon as possible, wouldn't you?

That would be good common sense and it would bring the quickest relief. You surely would never think of drinking medicine or doctoring the blood to cure a surface affliction.

It's just the same principle with diseases of the skin. Eczema, psoriasis, salt rheum and barber's itch can be cured and cured easily if you strike right at the trouble as you do with a cut or burn.

The cause of itching, burning skin diseases according to modern science, is a germ which feeds upon the weaker parts of the skin. To kill these skin bacilli which produce the itching sores and ugly red blotches, use the famous prescription of oil of wintergreen, glycerine and thymol, commonly known as D. D. D. Prescription. This mild liquid was advocated by a prominent skin specialist, Dr. Dennis, of Chicago, long before it was adopted generally. This liquid is called D. D. D. Prescription. It is a positive specific for all skin diseases.

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much better in the Highlander infield than did Jimmy Williams. There is no doubt that Niles has been a valuable man for Griffith's team.

"Always play your game if you possibly can; never postpone unless it is absolutely necessary," was a piece of advice once given by Harry Wright to Bill Shettsline of the Phillies.

"The Browns and the Naps are the hardest teams in the league to beat just now," says a Chicagoan. How the deuce he knows that before having stacked up against the eastern teams passes comprehension.

Within the last few years there has been a tendency toward the garish in baseball uniforms. There's too much insignia and curlicue business. The only really artistic diamond apparel brought out in recent seasons was that of the Pittsburg club.

AMATEUR BASEBALL

Well, well, well. Here we are again, the Concord Hillsides. Our lineup: Truck-horse O'Neil, c; Dope Merritt, p; Ruhe McComb, 1b; Ligger McGeever, 2b; Scop Quintan, ss; Mickie Concannon, 3b; Lobster Higgins, lf; Braggs Carlin, cf; Pea Soup Soucier, rf. Pat O'Neil shags the ball if it goes past the fielders. We made Baby Merritt mascot to keep him from crying. Motorman Carlin licks the sweat off the bats. We challenge any team under 14.

The Sacred Heart Holy Name society baseball team will play its first game next Saturday.

Next Saturday afternoon the Bancrofts will lineup against the Harrimans for the second game of the series. The first game which was played a week ago was won by the Bancrofts.

The Autumns defeated the Groves Saturday in a very interesting contest.

Jack Mangan was the big noise at the Sacred Heart Holy Name society try-out Saturday.

The Young Champions defeated the Spauldings again Saturday by the score of 9 to 4, in an interesting game. Owing to the rain the game was interrupted at various points. Last week we defeated the Spauldings by the score of 7 to 5. Sam Bernstein, our swell-headed pitcher said he won the game for us and got swell-headed and left the team, thinking he was the best pitcher we could get. He is now playing with the Young Rockdales, aged 10. With our own pitcher we won the game easier than with him pitching. We are one of the strongest teams in the city for 14 year olds. Send all challenges through this paper.

The Patriot Jrs. would like to challenge any team under 12 years old. The lineup is as follows: Symond, p; Jarrett, c; King, 1b; Gillis, 2b; Quinn, 3b; McElroy, ss; Kennedy, lf; Sullivan, cf; Carney, rf. Send all challenges to John King, 39 Pleasant street, or to Fred Gillis, 32 Concord st.

The Edson Jrs. would like to challenge any team under 13 years of age. Our lineup is as follows: F. Tighe, c; W. Watson, p; W. Carroll, 1b; J. O'Grady, ss; F. Hickory, 2b; J. McNulty, 3b; J. O'Dea, lf; L. West, cf; P. Rene, rf. Send all challenges to W. Watson, 126 South street.

The Albion Blues would like a game with the Young Dragon A. C., for May 9. They would like to play any team under 13 years. Our lineup is as follows: L. F. Jordan, c; J. Quinn, p; L. Gallagher, 1b; J. Bowen, 2b; W. McCarty, ss; J. Woods, 3b; T. Burke, lf; W. Caveny, cf; J. Welch, rf. Send all challenges to J. Woods, 24 Jewett st.

The Warrens defeated the Alpines Saturday in the third game of a series by a score of 26 to 2. By winning Saturday the Warrens claim this series having won two of the three games played.

The Warrens will play any team in or out of the city at 16 years of age.

The lineup of Warrens is Socks c, Robitaille p, Fahey 1b, Finnerty 2b, Patten & Bestie ss, Breakey 3b; Douglas lf, Preston cf, Hickey, rf. Send all challenges through the Sun.

The Bunker Blues would like to challenge any team in the city under 8 years old. The lineup: T. Shepard c, F. McGowan p, L. McGowan 1b, J. Shepard 2b, W. Higgins ss, A. Beatincourt 3b, W. Fletcher lf, L. Smith cf, J. Smith lf, L. McGowan, capt., J. Shepard, manager. Send all challenges through this paper.

The Pilgrims would like to challenge any team in the city under fourteen years of age. We would like to hear from Mystery Juniors, who claim the championship of the city. The lineup: J. Bowan c, T. Boyle p, J. McGowan lf, W. Dow 2b, T. McGovern ss, H. McGowan 1b, L. Beatincourt rf, F. Graham cf, Bancroft lf.

The Elm Blues would like to play any team under 12 years of age. The lineup is:

John Foudy c, Edward Flanagan p, John McNulty 1b, Lazzaro Faini ss, Terrence O'Loughlin 2b, James O'Loughlin 3b, Frank Coughlin lf, Charles Smith cf, Edgar Smith rf.

Send all challenges to John Foudy, 26 Cedar street.

The Young Wamesits have organized for the season of 1908. We will challenge any team under 12 years. Our lineup is as follows:

Gargan p, Sweeney c, Delaney 1b, Sweeney 2b, Ronan 3b, Kilroy ss, Delaney cf, Curtin lf, Kilroy rf.

Send all challenges to James Sweeney, 7 Clark's court, off Lawrence street, or through this paper.

The Young Hosfords are willing to play the Cowboys any day. Our lineup: Rob Quinn p, Wm. Cogger c, W. Quinn 1b, Frank Curtin 2b, J. General ss, Chds. Cleary 3b, Walter Lowney rf, E. Blain lf, H. McCarty cf.

Send all challenges to Walter Quinn, 626 Central street, or Robert Quinn, 32 New York street, or through The Sun.

The St. Michael's Stars defeated the Eversticks by the score of 12 to 2 and would like to challenge any team under 13 years of age. Our lineup is: Reynolds sc, Kinghorn p, Cook 1b, McManus 2b, Donnelly 3b, Cremor rf, Grourk ss, Hunt lf.

Send all challenges to Thomas Donnelly, 40 Read street.

The Bachelors would like to arrange games with the Mysteries 2d, the Holy Name Society team of St. Michael's, or the O. M. I. Cadets. Send all challenges to R. Wilkins, 38 Swain avenue.

The Riversides of North Chelmsford defeated a team called the West Chelmsfords Saturday by a score of 2 to 1.

The Red Rovers defeated the Coburn Stars Saturday by a score of 22 to 11. The Red Rovers would like to arrange games with any 14 year old team in the city. Send all challenges to 43 John street. Walter Dawson, manager.

The T. R. & T. baseball team of North Billerica would like a game with the Mysteries or the Wanderers for next Saturday. Address challenges to Charles E. Coudrey.

The Belvideres clash with the Indians May 9, and a hot game is expected. We would like to hear from the Lowell 8 for May 23. Cornelius D. Murphy, 39 Concord street.

The St. John's T. A. Society second baseball team would like to challenge any baseball team in Lowell, under 17 years of age, for a game Saturday afternoon. Address all answers to Joseph McTeague, P. O. Box 267, North Chelmsford.

NEW SHAMROCK

IS SAID TO BE A HANDSOME BOAT.

The new Shamrock, Sir Thomas Lipton's latest racer, is a handsome craft according to pictures which were taken just after the launching. It is the intention of Sir Thomas to race whenever possible. The Boston Globe says of the yacht:

"She will sail in her first race on May 30. Against her will be pitted the best boats that have been built under the new European rule of yacht measurement for the 23 meter class, the largest that can be built under the rule. These boats are practically 89 footers, as the length of waterline on 23 meter rating under the rule would be about that. The rule is intended to produce a moderate type of boat. It puts a premium on freeboard and prevents flaring ends by taking their girth. The 23 meter class was made the largest under the rule to check the tendency toward boats as large as the Reliance, which is too big for ordinary racing.

"The entry of Sir Thomas into British racing with this boat will be watched with much interest by British yachtsmen, who as a whole have never done Sir Thomas the honor of considering him one of them. For some years past theyachting press of England has asked: 'Why doesn't Sir Thomas Lipton do something for home yachting?' Now that he has started to do something it is more than probable, say those who know the ways of British yachtsmen, that he will receive a frigid reception from the run of British yacht owners, who are nothing if not exclusive.

"Sir Thomas has engaged the best racing skipper he could find. Capt. Edward Sycamore, who held the stick on the Shamrock II. in the best races sailed on this side by any of Lipton's three cup boats.

"The New Shamrock is built in Fife's finest style, and has the full allowance of the beauty that Fife is capable of putting into a yacht in a greater degree than any other designer. She is also notable for the character of her interior finish, which is more elaborate than usual in recent racing yachts. The roomy forecastle, messroom and captain's berth are fitted up with African mahogany, and the saloon, passage and rail lockers in Austrian oak. The main saloon is panelled in tapestry, and the ladies' cabin and staterooms are simply in white enamel. Round the saloon there is some exceptionally fine carving, representing commerce and navigation.

"The hull is planked with Honduras mahogany laid upon a framework of steel, the sides being painted in green and white and the underbody coppered."

BOWLING NEWS

Crescents Lead in the Minor League

The Crescents now lead in the Minor league contest despite the fact that the Merrimacks, who are in second place, have a bigger pinfall. Coleman leads in the individual averages and Queenan is second. The standing:

	Won	Lost	P. P.
Crescents	32	13	20,933
Merrimacks	31	14	21,064
Rocklands	27	18	20,279
Clintons	23	22	20,101
Centralvilles	23	22	20,271
Favorites	23	22	20,151
M. C. B's.	20	25	19,873
American G. C.	18	27	20,016
Mt. Groves	15	30	19,862
Lincolns	13	32	19,627

INDIVIDUAL AVERAGES.

Coleman, 100; Queenen, 97; Mailloux, 95.35; Boucher, 95.6; McLaughlin, 95.3; Lebrun, 94.32; Lemeux, 94.32; T. Doyle, 94.19; E. McAleer, 93.17; Demers, 93.3; Colpitts, 93.1; Bresnahan, 92.28; Jas. Grant, 92.23; Cole, 92.15; Jodoin, 92.8; Martin, 92.5; A. Dyer, 91.33; Bernardini, 91.12; McNell, 91.11; J. McAleer, 91; Donohue, 90.26; W. Grant, 90.33; Vice, 90.33; McCarthy, 90.25.

The Rocklands took two points from the Mt. Groves in a game in the Minor league series played on the Crescent alleys last night. The knockout tournament at the Crescent alleys resulted in Shaw and MacDonald trimming Wynne and G. Dwyer. The scores:

MINOR LEAGUE.

Rocklands.

A. Dyer	88	89	96	264
Smith	94	81	90	265
Martin	93	85	90	268
E. Dyer	91	85	81	250
Bresnahan	99	100	97	297
Totals	459	434	454	1347

Mt. Groves.

Bernardini	92	82	86	260
H. Sheppard	105	76	102	283
C. Sheppard	82	89	108	279
Mack	87	88	79	254
Duggan	81	94	83	258
Totals	459	429	456	1335

KNOCKOUT TOURNAMENT.

Snow	88	76	88	252
MacDonald	82	101	118	301
Totals	170	177	206	553
Wynne	103	93	88	284
G. Dwyer	88	76	79	243
Totals	191	169	167	527

CLARKSON OUT

HARVARD MAN HAS RETIRED FROM BASEBALL.

CLEVELAND, May 5.—Walter Clarkson, once a star pitcher on the Harvard nine, Sunday night resigned his job with the Cleveland American league team and returned to this city from Chicago, announcing he would enter into business in the Chisholm boot shop here.

His poor showing this spring, declared by his admirers to be due to lack of work, is believed to have discouraged him.

Talk of his sale to Manager Bill Armour, formerly of Cleveland and Detroit, now heading the Toledo American Association team, has been heard.

"I am through for good," said Clarkson. "I have been considering this business chance for two weeks."

He was obtained from the New York Americans in exchange for Earl Moore in the middle of last season.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Edouard Lambert and Miss Marie Lacourse were married yesterday at St. Joseph's church, where a nuptial mass was celebrated by Rev. Fr. Dubreuil, O. M. I. The witnesses to the ceremony were Messrs. Adelard Boule and Elzear Hamel. Soon after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Lambert left on a bridal trip.

ROBERGE—AYOTTE.

Mr. Albert Roberge and Miss Lizzie Ayotte were married yesterday morning at St. Joseph's church. A nuptial mass was celebrated at 8 o'clock by Rev. Fr. Lamothe, O. M. I. The bride was attended by her father, Mr. Joseph Ayotte, and the bridegroom by his father, Mr. J. B. Roberge. After the ceremony, the wedding party drove to the residence of the bridegroom's parents in Chelmsford Centre, where a dinner was served and a reception held in the evening.

SALARIES CUT

The Philippine Financial Measure Taken Up

MANILA, May 5.—The assembly has begun the consideration of the appropriation committee's financial measure. The cutting down of expenses in various departments of the government is more sweeping than anticipated. The salary of the governor general was reduced 10,000 pesos and practically every official is reduced in sums varying from 20 to 45 per cent. The forestry bureau is merged with the lands department and the civil service has been merged with the auditing bureau. The American officials are most seriously affected and it is believed the committee will reject the majority of the proposals. The American officials and merchants are disturbed over the proposals which many assert are clearly racial and designed to make it impossible for Americans to fill the positions in the civil service. They pronounce the movement a political play on the prejudice of the Filipinos and fear is expressed that whatever the outcome may be it will prove difficult in the future to secure recruits in America for this branch of the civil service.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

The regular meeting of Butler Ames Company, Uniform Rank Knights of Pythias, met last night and furthered plans for their visit to camp during the summer. The local organization will compete for prizes at the annual field today which is to be held in Boston during the early part of August.

EMPIRE COLONY, P. F.

Empire colony of Pilgrim Fathers met in regular session last night, there being a good attendance of members. A communication was received from D. S. G. Tucker of Lawrence. A committee was appointed to make arrangements for memorial services to be held on the evening of Monday, June 1.

Loyal Excelsior lodge, I. O. O. F., M. U., met in regular meeting last night at Post 120 hall and transacted considerable routine business. The degree was worked on four candidates and later in the evening a report was heard from the delegates to the district convention held at Brockton last week. At the conclusion of business a social hour was enjoyed.

Another hit, "The Garden Party," tonight, for 45 minutes, then dance until morning to the Calumet orchestra. Benefit Day Nursery. 25c.

CAR IS WRECKED

Bearing Injured Boy to Hospital

NEW YORK, May 5.—In a remarkable race of five miles to save the life of a seventeen-year-old boy a trolley car which had run over the lad's right leg and left foot, and which after the accident was rushed at top speed toward St. John's hospital, Yonkers, was practically wrecked entering that city around a sharp curve.

The boy is Fred G. Lawrence, who lives at Tuckahoe, some distance from Yonkers, where he works. He was maimed while trying to board the car at Nepperhan crossing.

Immediately the car was stopped and Conductor Nicholas Hayes, with rare presence of mind, cut the bell rope and made a tourniquet of it, compressing the blood vessels in the injured limbs of the young man, who was lifted into the car. The motorman then put on full speed, while passengers did what they could for the patient. The car flew along faster than any had ever gone on the road before, but when the turn into Yonkers was reached it jumped the track and the forward trucks were practically demolished.

Hayes rushed from the trolley, got a telephone, and soon Dr. Hagan, of St. John's hospital, was speeding to the scene. He whitled the boy to the institution and amputated the right leg below the knee and cut off four toes on the left foot.

Look out for paint! Our painters are everywhere. Kittredge & Co., 258 Central street.

JOHNSON TO WIN

His Manager Sure That He Will Be Nominated

WASHINGTON, May 5.--The Post today says:

"John A. Johnson, governor of Minnesota, will be nominated by the Denver convention to head the ticket," said Rep. P. S. Hammond of the second congressional district of Minnesota, the man who defeated for congress former Rep. James McCleary, one of the republican leaders during his service in the house. Hammond nominated Gov. Johnson for both his terms as governor of Minnesota and both times Johnson swept a normally republican state into the democratic column.

"Unquestionably," he said yesterday, "Johnson will carry a large proportion of the southern states. Even in Alabama which convention will be May 11 and among whose people friends of Johnson have done little or no work until within the last few days we have found a surprisingly large Johnson following. This is particularly true of business men.

"I have before me now the copy of an interview given out by Walker Percy, one of the leading attorneys and politicians in Birmingham in the ninth district of that state.

"Mr. Percy points out that Johnson is a winner, not a loser of political campaigns, that he has no crude theories of government ownership to apologize for and his strength in the northwest and east is unquestionable.

"Other business men and authorities in the state are out with similar declarations. I merely mention this is to show how strong Johnson is in states where no particular fight has been made for him.

"There will be a fight to have the convention take action favorable to Johnson and I believe it will do so. If it does not it will demonstrate at any rate even in a state claimed so confidently by Bryan that Johnson is backed by a large following.

"When you find such a situation as that you can easily recognize the absurd position of those who say Bryan will carry every state in the south. The fight in most of the states is now on definitely. Mr. Johnson's friends are sure of victory."

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THE YALE CREWS

Makeups Have Practically Been Decided

NEW HAVEN, May 5.—Crew affairs at Yale are now assuming definite shape both as regards the 'varsity boat and the freshmen squad. What is practically a 'varsity eight has just been picked and its form is such that veteran oarsmen predict a stronger crew than the blue has had for several years. The crew is rowing as follows:

Stroke, Griswold, 7, Captain Ire; 6, Howe; 5, Dunkle; 4, Hunt; 3, Rice; 2, Peyton; Bow, Auchinclos. The starboard side is rowing finely but there is not the same smoothness on the port side, the weak places being at 2 and 4. Peyton who displaced Graham a few days ago, has a very long reach, and when the stroke is increased his oar interferes somewhat. His strength, however, is needed on that side of the boat. Hunt at 4 was in the freshmen four last year. Of the crew Griswold stroked and Peyton rowed in the 'varsity four and Ire, Howe, Rice and Auchinclos were in last year's race while Peyton was a promising substitute. Seldom is the 'varsity crew picked so early and as there are nearly two months of practice ahead much is expected of the crew. No chance to gauge the crew's mettle will come until the New London races as the crew for the Stewards races at Philadelphia will be rowed by substitutes.

The freshmen squad has been weeded to two boats and the final selection promises the best freshmen crew Yale has had in years.

JUDGE GREY

TO SPEAK ON THE BOSTON MEASURE.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—Judge Geo. Grey of Delaware is expected to address the railroads and canals committee of the house this afternoon on the bill introduced by Rep. Burton of Delaware providing for the taking by the government of the Delaware and Chesapeake canal as one of the important links in the projected Boston-to-Beaufort system of inland waterways. Judge Grey's father, Andrew C. Grey, was one of the promoters of the canal.

HOPE DIAMOND

Has Been Sold for $400,000

PARIS, May 5.—The famous Hope diamond, latterly owned by Joseph Frankels Sons Co. of New York, has been sold here, it is reported, for $400,000. It is believed to have been bought for the sultan of Turkey.

The Hope diamond is a sapphire blue brilliant weighing 44 1-2 carats. It was at one time owned by H. Y. Hope. It is supposed to have been cut from the large blue diamond weighing 112 1-4 carats in the rough sold by Tavernier to Louis XIV.

GRAND LODGE ODD FELLOWS.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 5.—The Rhode Island grand lodge of Odd Fellows met in annual session today. The reports of the officers showed the organization to be in an excellent condition.

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Aided by Star Cast in "Brewster's Millions"

"Brewster's Millions," Smith and Ongley's dramatization of George B. McCutcheon's celebrated story of that title, was presented at the Opera House last night by the following star cast:

Archibald Vanderpool ....Sumner Gard
Joseph MacCloud ....Joseph Woodburn
Frank Bragdon .....Willard Howe
Nopper Harrison ....William B. Mack
Mrs. Dan De Mille.....Emily Lytton
Horace Pettingill .....Gaston Bell
Subway Smith .....Sydney Irving
Rawles .....George Clare
Barbara Drew .....Rosalind Coghlan
Col. Drew .....Nestor Lemon
Janice Armstrong .....Grace Arnold
Margaret Grey (Peggy)....Mary Ryan
Montgomery Brewster (Monty) Edward Abeles
Fred Gardner .....Arthur Morris
Mr. Grant .....Albert Sackett
Thomas .....Ted Clare
Trixie Clayton .....Amy Sumers
First Office Boy .....Roy Prosser
Second Office Boy .....Henry Ascher
Monsieur Bargie.....E. J. De Varny
Miss Boynton .....Mary Mallon
First Officer .....George Wright
Captain Perry .....William Rawson
Steward ..... George Spelvin
Quartermaster .....Darl Mae Boyle
Sailors—Walter Clifton, Joseph Turpin, Martin Hoag, Albert Sperry, John Hodge.

You have read in the advance notices of the play the outline of the piece, but you must see it to appreciate its true worth. You may have read the book but the story is not really impressed in all its strength on you until you have seen Edward Abeles, and the exceptionally clever cast that supports him, give you the stage version. Mr. Abeles is a wonder, a remarkable actor, one who never loses himself or oversteps the bounds laid down for his particular work. "I'd like to catch the man who said spending money is easy," said Abeles who plays the character of Monty Brewster who has signed a contract to spend one million dollars in a year, in order to win a fortune of seven millions. Brewster certainly did have a big contract on his hand, and if ever a fellow suffered in an attempt to spend money and get rid of it fast, Brewster did. And it required no little brain work either to turn the trick, for it seemed that no matter what Brewster put his hand to it turned out a winner. "Polite," the horse that always stepped aside in a race and said to the others "You first my dear Gaston," was quoted at 40 to 1 by the bookies. Brewster saw a chance to drop some coin so he placed $1000 on "Polite" much to the chagrin of his chums. Brewster figured it out a sure loss and saw an avenue to let go of some of the money he had contracted to spend. But "Polite" turned the tables and Brewster was $10,000 to the good, as we saw it, but to the bad according to the way he kept his accounts. Brewster always credited himself with his losses, and placed the gains on the debit side, for he figured when he lost his was winning, the big bet and when he won he had another bundle to spend and therefore was further away from the goal. He placed $10,000 in a stock that his broker told him was a positive loser and advised him not to buy and it turned out one of the biggest winners in the market, much to Brewster's sorrow and regret. But Brewster's greatest coup was in the third when he had chartered the yacht "Flitter" to take a party of friends on a trip to the Mediterranean. He had two days in which to spend $50,000 in order to win the fortune of $7,000,000 and his brain was puzzled. Finally a storm arose which increased in intensity and finally threatened to wreck the yacht. Brewster ordered the distress signal hoisted but the captain protested on the ground that the salvage would amount to $50,000. That was the chance Brewster had been waiting for and up went the signal that disposed of half a million of his funds, all he had left. The next act shows Brewster's [illegible] after the auction. He has disposed of everything, even his jewelry in order to carry out his agreement to spend $1,000,000 in one year. There is a pretty little love story that is brought out during the action of the play and the scenes between the two lovers of childhood, Brewster and Peggy Gray, a character most admirably assumed by Mary Ryan, a remarkably clever lady who possesses a pretty voice, well modulated and trained and most effective in the tender scenes, were appealing and earned the great applause of the audience. Nothing like the third act, the scene of which is laid on board the yacht "Flitter" has ever been seen here. The stage setting is most elaborate, far ahead of anything that has been attempted in Lowell, and the acting, especially that of Brewster, is a strong piece of work. To single out any one in the cast aside from Mr. Abeles and Miss Ryan, as worthy of special mention would be slighting the others. All are grand, in fact no better cast for the play, could be secured. Each man and each woman is a star in his and her particular part and the wonder is that such a high priced company can make a successful financial tour of the smaller cities. "Brewster's Millions" will be seen here again tonight, tomorrow afternoon and tomorrow night and should be greeted by crowded houses. Curtain call after curtain call was given the entire company last night.

ANTON HEGNER COMING.

The greatest living violincellist, Anton Hegner, has been secured by Manager Grau for the Glacia Calla festival concerts and Lowell music lovers will hear this world renowned musical genius at the Opera House Saturday evening, May 9. Never before has there been in one organization so many well known names as that which will grace the program to be given by Glacia Calla's company on that date. To hear an artist like Hegner is alone worth going many miles. Recently the Princess Victoria played the accompaniment for the great 'cellist at a concert given at Buckingham palace before King Edward and Hegner was presented with a set of diamond studs by the Duke of Sandingham. Adelina Patti never sings in London without cabling for Mr. Hegner, so that Lowell is to be congratulated that he is to be included in the list of celebrities for the May festival concert on May 9th. Signor Castellano, who will sing "Faust" on that occasion will be heard also in several arias and if Lowell can't hear Caruso, we can hear his rival and equal, and that, too, several days before Boston hears the great Italian tenor. Miss Calla is now in New York city awaiting the arrival of her gowns from Paris.

"RIP VAN WINKLE."

Thomas Jefferson in "Rip Van Winkle" will be seen at the Opera House on May 14th. It is sixty-five years since the first performance of "Rip Van Winkle" was given by a Jefferson and it has been played by them continually ever since. They have made it the one great classic of the American stage. Thomas Jefferson's production this season, is said to be the most elaborate ever given of the play.

ROBERT EDESON.

Henry B. Harris will offer at the Opera House, May 12th, Robert Edeson in his latest New York success, "Classmates," a play of West Point life by William C. de Mille and Margaret Turnbull. "Classmates" has just concluded a four months' engagement at the Hudson theatre and is unquestionably one of the big hits of the present season. Mr. Edeson is supported by a famous cast of players including Paulina Anthony, Marjorie Wood, Maud Granger, Wallace Eddinger, Sidney Ainsworth, Frank McIntyre, Macey Harlam and Lawrence Eddinger.

HATHAWAY'S THEATRE

The Boyer Players opened at Hathaway's theatre last night and gave "In the Bishop's Carriage," its first local presentation. They played to a little better than half a house. "In the Bishop's Carriage" is a four act play by Channing Pollock, from the novel of the same name by Myron Michelson.

The redemption of a girl, and any man with an eye for beauty, winsomeness and will would seek to redeem her her journey through ignorance, [illegible] is the sympathetic chain that holds the story and makes it fascinating.

The cast of characters was as follows:

William Latimer .....Alphonz Ethier
Edward Ramsay .....Orson M. Dunn
Bishop Van Wagenen. Westrop Saunders
Tom Dorgan .....Carroll Daly
Frederick Obermuller ....Chas. Davis
Harry Van Ness, reporter on "The World" .....Edwin Belden
Nance Olden .....Norma Winslow
Mrs. Edward Ramsay ...Mollie Revel
Nellie Ramsay .....Julia Morton
Mag Monahan .....Marguerite Blake
Mrs. Mary Latimer ..... Acosta West

Nance Olden was the girl whose pathway of thistles was made one of roses and William Latimer was the Moses who led her out of the land of bondage. He is a great criminal lawyer and he gave Nance all kinds of shows. He caught her rifling a house and after he had protected her from the police she proved so ungrateful as to rob him. Her pal and lover was Tom Dorgan, Bad Man Dorgan. In giving an account of herself Nance tells that she was brought up by the "Cruelty" or as we know it, the society for the prevention of cruelty to children. It was there Nance said that she first learned to steal. In those days purloining was a pastime with her; then she stole because want drove her to it and then she became a confirmed thief under the tutorship of Dorgan and there wasn't any job in their line too big for Nance Olden, known as "Nance the Nipper" and Tom Dorgan.

She loved Tom Dorgan and stood by him through thick and thin. But the time came when the very sound of his voice was repulsive. That was when he broke jail and sought her out in her splendidly appointed apartments in New York. She was then in the glory of stage success and he entered her apartments through a window after having broken jail and brained an attendant. In hungry fashion he grabbed and kissed her and those hungry kisses tolled the death knell of Nance Olden's love for Tom Dorgan and the rest so far as Dorgan was concerned were mostly prison scenes.

All of the parts in this very clever production were well taken and if there was a little flaw here and there it was simply on the surface and easily ironed out. Alphonz Ethier as William Latimer, leading man, had a hard part to play and he handled it very well. He looks the man to save a woman and he is one of the quiet, unobtrusive kind who, if he could, would have saved Nance Olden without a single soul other than themselves knowing it.

As a bibulous character, Orson M. Dunn as Edward Ramsay was all to the good. It would be hard to improve upon his work. It was done enough and not overdone. No better compliment could we bestow.

Carroll Daly as Tom Dorgan, was every inch a villain. He made good from start to finish and his final exit where the pleading words of his pal and sweetheart, Nance Olden, softens his heart as he stands handcuffed and with a prison sentence staring him in the face, was well made. He was jealous of the man who saved Nance from the debris of the past and would have done him bodily harm but that Latimer surprised him at every turn, meeting his blackjack with a revolver and felling him to the floor with his fist when he found it necessary to strike.

Norma Winslow as Nance Olden played well her part. She was as much the lady as the bowery tough and she was in sympathy with each and every feature of her act. Norma Winsow, however, would be even better in a stronger part. She is a very charming girl, natural, graceful and artistic.

The others were minor parts but were all well taken and it was easy to discover that these parts were backed by talent fitted for greater things.

"In the Bishop's Carriage" will be given at Hathaway's theatre every evening during the week, and matinees will be played on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday afternoons. Souvenirs will be given every afternoon to the women patrons of the house.

THE PASTIME.

Today is the second day that the Pastime has charged but 5 cents for admission to see a ten cent show. The same kind of a show is still running for 5 cents that has been shown for ten cents, and the public appreciates this fact. The pictures are new to Lowell. You have never seen them before so that when you come into this theatre you are sure you will see pictures that interest and hear songs that entertain. You will have no stairs to climb. The seats are the same kind that other houses are charging ten cens to sit in. The pictures are clear as everyone knows who has seen them when this theatre was not charging you 5 cents. Women and children are well taken care of here, and are considered when the management select its pictures and songs. This summer you will hear the same singers for 5 cents as you have heard before, and they are the best in Lowell. There will be a change of program tomorrow, and another Friday.

THEATRE VOYONS.

Playgoers will remember how funny "A Stranger in a Strange Land" was when that comedy was seen here and "Indian Bitters," one of the pictures at the Theatre Voyons today is much like it. It is fully as funny and its laughs center around the English dude masquerading as an Indian and a real Indian. Each is taken for the other and many very amusing complications occur. "The Land of the Gold Mines" is an exceptionally beautiful spectacular picture with a pleasing bit of a story. Its groupings are fine and the wonderful photographic work, heightened by the exquisite coloring makes the whole picture one of beauty. The other pictures on the bill are unusually good and the songs notably, "Where is My Boy Tonight," are really much better than the average of the popular music of today.

STAR THEATRE

Billy Purcell at the Star is a great favorite with the ladies. He keeps them in good humor throughout his whole act. He is a jolly negro with a jolly act. His eccentric dancing is neatly and comically done and makes the men sit up and take notice. "Baby" Curry with "There's Another Picture In My Mamma's Frame" is singing excellently and receives a generous amount of applause. She seems to be more popular than ever. J. C. Bell is singing the semi-classical song, "I'd Love or I'd Die for You" in a manner that would do credit to the concert stage. Mr. Bell excels in this sort of singing and is highly appreciated. The picture program for today is pleasing everybody. There is high tragedy and there is plenty of clean comedy. There are some pictures that are especially interesting to the ladies. These of a day nursery in France are instructive as well as amusing. Ladies are rapidly becoming the larger part of the audiences at this house, especially in the afternoon.

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John—"Come on, Sally, you have had the blues all day. A little fresh air will do you good."

Mrs. Hardway—"No. I have to get up early to-morrow and get at the washing, so I want to get to bed early to-night."

Anty Drudge—"Of all silly creatures! I suppose you have been thinking about your washing all day. No wonder you are blue. Now just go and put your things on right away. When you get down to my house I will give you a few cakes of Fels-Naptha and your blues and blue Mondays will vanish forever, and John's only day home will be more pleasant in the future."

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A BITTER FIGHT

For Delegates to Republican Convention

TRENTON, N. J., May 5.—The selection of delegates-at-large to the republican national convention which will be fought out in today's state convention is attracting more than usual interest. The six candidates for the four places who are all leaders in their respective fields are Gov. Fort, former Govs. Franklin Murphy and John W. Briggs, United States Senators Kean and Briggs and State Assessor David Baird of Camden. The early indications are that Gov. Fort, Senators Kean and Briggs and Mr. Baird will win. Gov. Fort and former Gov. Briggs are avowed Taft men.

It is generally believed that the delegates will not be pledged to vote for any particular presidential candidate and the attempt will be made to have the convention endorse Secretary Taft.

The district delegates not already selected will be chosen by caucuses prior to the convention. So far as can be learned most of those already named are favorable to the nomination of Taft. It is understood that no unit rule will be adopted by the convention which will be an advantage to the secretary of war.

What talk there has been of presenting a resolution to the state convention favoring Gov. Fort for the vice presidential nomination ceased today when it became known that the governor had expressed a desire to serve out his term as governor.

BILL IS READY

"PORK BARREL" MEASURE TO BE REPORTED.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—The public buildings bill which is popularly known as "the pork barrel" may be reported to the house tomorrow. The republican caucus tonight is expected to define the legislative program for the remainder of the session and the leaders will probably set a time for taking up the public buildings bill.

As soon as this time is set, Rep. Bartholdt of Missouri, chairman of the public buildings and grounds committee, is expected to report the bill to the house. The measure has been ready for a week.

W. C. T. U. CONVENTION.

BOSTON, May 5.—At the press headquarters of the W. C. T. U. in this city today it was announced that the national president-at-large, Miss Anna A. Gordon of Evanston, Ill. will leave the national headquarters at Evanston today for Denver, Colo., where extensive plans are under way for the national convention to be held in that city, Oct. 23-28. Mrs. Stevens and Miss Gordon will make a tour of the state of Colorado.

MORTGAGEES' SALE.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Joseph N. Snay to us, dated May 1, 1907, and recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, book 559, page 575, and for breach of the conditions therein contained, we will sell at public auction, on the premises, on Thursday, 25th, 1908, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage deed, namely: A certain lot of land on Stedman street in Chelmsford, in said county, and bounded as follows: Beginning at a stone bound on said Stedman street at the corner of an old road, running southwesterly from said Stedman street; thence south 73 deg. west, four hundred and seventeen feet to a stone bound on said road; thence south 41 deg. east, five hundred and thirty feet to a stone bound at land of one Spalding; thence north 88 deg. east, three hundred and eighty-one feet to a stone bound at Stedman street; thence northeasterly on Stedman street, four hundred and seventeen feet to a stone bound at the point of beginning. Containing four acres more or less.

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MARY X ALTON,
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Mortgagees.

Witness, John J. Hogan.

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THE VARIOUS SEWER PROBLEMS

ON SATURDAY THE SUN GAVE TO THE PUBLIC AN EXPOSITION OF THE SEWER PROBLEMS AT PRESENT CONFRONTING THE CITY. IT MUST BE OBSERVED BY ANYBODY WHO READS THAT ARTICLE THAT ALL THESE PROBLEMS LARGE AND SMALL ARE IN A VAGUE AND UNSETTLED CONDITION. IT IS NOT AN ADDITION TO OUR PRESENT SEWERAGE SYSTEM THAT IS PROPOSED. IT IS A NEW AND INDEPENDENT SYSTEM THAT WILL DRAIN WIGGINVILLE, THE LOWER OAKLANDS, WARRENVILLE, ATHERTON AND THE LAND BETWEEN THAT VILLAGE AND ANDOVER STREET.

THE SEWER COMMITTEE HAS VOTED TO START WORK IN WIGGINVILLE AND ALSO ON THE ANDOVER STREET PROPOSITION. NEITHER OF THESE SEWERS HAVE BEEN LAID OUT BY THE ENGINEERS, SO THAT IF A BEGINNING BE MADE UNDER PRESENT CONDITION, IT MUST BE WITHOUT SEEING WHITHER THE SEWERS WILL RUN OR WHERE THEY WILL END. THIS, OF COURSE, WOULD BE A VERY UNSCIENTIFIC AND UNUSUAL METHOD OF STARTING WORK ON SEWERS.

THE SEWER WORK IN WIGGINVILLE WE UNDERSTAND IS TO BE STARTED ON SIDE STREETS THAT WILL RUN TOWARDS A MAIN THAT MAY BE LAID IN THE FUTURE. IF THE PLANS IN THE MINDS OF THE SEWER COMMITTEE AND THE CITY ENGINEER BE FINALLY CARRIED OUT.

THE CITY ENGINEER AND HIS ASSISTANTS ARE OUT TODAY, WE UNDERSTAND, MAKING A SURVEY IN ORDER TO ASCERTAIN WHETHER IT IS POSSIBLE TO HAVE ONE SEWER DRAIN WIGGINVILLE AND THE LOWER OAKLANDS TOGETHER WITH WARRENVILLE AND ATHERTON. THIS SEWER, IT IS PRESUMED, WOULD RUN AGAINST THE GRADE FROM THE OAKLANDS UP THE BANKS OF THE CONCORD RIVER ENDING IN A FILTER BED. IF THAT BE NOT FEASIBLE THEN THE QUESTION WILL COME UPON AN INDEPENDENT SEWER FOR WIGGINVILLE OR A SEWER THAT WILL CONNECT WITH ANOTHER COMING FROM ANDOVER STREET AND THUS MAKE ONE GREAT TRUNK SEWER BEGINNING IN WIGGINVILLE AND ENDING AT ANDOVER STREET. SUCH A SEWER WOULD CERTAINLY BE TWO MILES IN LENGTH.

AT THE PRESENT TIME THERE IS SOMETHING IN THE NATURE OF A PUBLIC NUISANCE CAUSED BY THE LACK OF SEWERAGE IN THE TRULL BROOK AND VICINITY AND THE OWNERS OF THE LAND ABUTTING ARE THREATENING SUITS FOR DAMAGES AGAINST THE CITY. THIS IS ANOTHER MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED IN MAKING THE FINAL SOLUTION OF ALL THESE PROBLEMS. THIS WOULD BE RELIEVED BY THE OAKLAND PUMPING STATION OR BY THE SEWER THAT ENGINEER BOWERS THINKS HE CAN ESTABLISH FOR THAT DISTRICT AND WIGGINVILLE.

THE WHOLE QUESTION IN FACT IS ONE THAT INVOLVES LARGE EXPENDITURE AND CALLS FOR THE GREATEST CARE IN SURVEYING AND LAYING OUT OF THE SEWER LINES IN ORDER TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE GRADES AND WATER SHEDS AND AT THE SAME TIME TO AFFORD DRAINAGE FOR THE VARIOUS SECTIONS OF THE ANNEXED TERRITORY FROM WIGGINVILLE TO ANDOVER STREET TOGETHER WITH A PORTION OF THE LOWER OAKLANDS. HENCE THE ENGINEERS HAVE A BIG UNDERTAKING ON THEIR HANDS AND ONE OF EXTREME IMPORTANCE TO THE CITY.

MAYOR FARNHAM, WHO MAY MAY BE SUPPOSED TO HAVE SOME PRACTICAL IDEAS ON ENGINEERING QUESTIONS OF THIS KIND MIGHT BE EXPECTED TO GIVE THE PROBLEMS SOME ATTENTION AT LEAST OF A SUPERVISORY CHARACTER; BUT IT DOES NOT SEEM THAT HE HAS LENT HIS AID IN REACHING A SOLUTION. ALL THAT THE SUN DESIRES TO HAVE DONE IN THIS MATTER IS, THAT THE CITY'S INTERESTS SHALL BE PROPERLY PROTECTED AGAINST THE INFLUENCE OF LAND SCHEMES AND THAT PUBLIC NECESSITY ALONE SHALL DICTATE WHERE THE SEWERS WILL RUN AND WHERE THEY WILL BE OF THE MOST SERVICE TO THE GREATEST NUMBER OF RESIDENTS IN WIGGINVILLE, THE OAKLANDS, WARRENVILLE, ATHERTON AND THE BELVIDERE ANNEX. COMMON SENSE AND JUSTICE WOULD DICTATE THAT THE DISTRICTS SETTLED AND BUILT UPON WOULD FIRST BE PROVIDED FOR, LETTING THE UNOCCUPIED LAND TAKE ITS CHANCES OF ATTENTION AT SOME MORE CONVENIENT TIME. THERE IS NEED FOR EMPLOYMENT AND THERE IS PLENTY OF WORK TO BE DONE ON STREETS AND OTHER SEWERS WITHOUT RUSHING BLINDLY INTO PROJECTS, THE EXPEDIENCY, THE EXTENT OR THE COST OF WHICH HAVE NOT BEEN CALCULATED.

SEEN AND HEARD

It is understood that the principal objectors to closing of hotels between the hours of ten and twelve o'clock Sunday mornings are some married men, who heretofore were able to get a couple of drinks while their wives were at church. Under the new rule it is impossible for them to do this.

Persons who carry loaded revolvers without the permission of the police board will be very severely dealt with hereafter by Judge Hadley. He believes that there are too many irresponsible persons carrying loaded weapons at the present time.

The merry widow face is the latest out. It is worn by men, not women, and consists of scratches on the face as a result of walking with a young lady who wears one of those saw-toothed monstrosities of headgear now in vogue.

Seven inches of snow in Buffalo during the latter part of last week and the very unpleasant weather which has been served out to Lowell during the past few days make us think that we are more apt to get winter than summer.

Too bad it wasn't Carrie Nation who kissed Gladstone Dowie. The joy of a first kiss might have induced her to bury the hatchet.

Better to be called a "Happy Hooligan," than a "Gloomy Gus."

The man who is always sure that he is right is wrong, as a matter of fact, about as often as other people are.

It is a mistake to think that girls have a special fondness for cream cakes. A boy can eat seven cream cakes to a girl's three.

When a man asks a woman in his company if smoking is offensive to her, and she says yes, she mustn't be surprised if he leaves her delightful society after a little while and wanders off to a place where he can light up a cigar.

Sometimes a woman can get her husband to go with her willingly to a party by telling him that one of his old girls is going to be there.

Isn't it queer how, when you buy a lot of hens, "all laying," from a poultry fancier, they all quit as soon as they get into the new coop?

The man who starts a business and sits down to watch it grow is pretty sure to find out before long that he has got to get up and hustle not alone to make it grow, but just to keep it going.

One of the best ways to find out what a woman thinks of you is not to ask her.

It is astonishing how many years a broken heart lasts and how much good work it will do.

There would be a good deal less pessimism in this world if there were less dyspepsia.

The time to persuade a woman that bridge whist is immoral and injudicious is after she has lost thirty-seven dollars playing it the night before.

The meanest man to argue with is the one who agrees with everything you say, and then when you get all through arguing, shows you that he is of the same opinion still.

It is really a great deal of bother to remember that because a man gave you a cigar the last time you were with him you must give him one the next time you are together, or pay his carfare because he paid your fare the last time you rode together in the street car.

The boy has a hard time. He is told that if there is anything he doesn't understand he must ask about it, but he mustn't be inquisitive.

When a man with thirteen children moves into a neighborhood, the shoe dealer feels justified in celebrating by buying a box of strawberries and a quart of ice cream for tea.

Some men are always willing to pay the expenses of the crowd. And the rest of the crowd are usually quite willing to let him do it.

A man who doesn't know when he is licked is almost as tough a competitor as the man you can't lick!

It really doesn't matter much
If bank accounts are small;
If we have sunshine in our hearts
We're rich enough for all.

It really doesn't matter much
If beauty knows us not;
If we have tact and intellect
We'll lead the common lot.

It really doesn't matter much
If we've no shining fame;
If we plug on, and do the square,
We'll get there just the same.

THRENODY

Requiescat M. A. B. M Rais Uli.
Announce the muezzin
In Tangier, in Fez, in
The wilds of Morocco,
Where blows the siroccо
Lament for the hero—
A blend of old Nero
Don Cesar, Domitian
And Moslem patrician—
A stealer of cattle,
A Bayard in battle,
An up to date brigand
A patriot Stigand,
A Toussaint, a robber,
A mercantile jobber,
Who took Pedicaris
Thereby to embarass
Affairs diplomatic,
By cool autocratic
Demands for a ransom—
Yet treated him "handsome,"
And even Sir Harry
McLean, whom to tarry,
He firmly persuaded
Until he was aided
By forces in Britain,
Who "threw up the mitten,"
And sent him the money
With phrases of honey—
This knight and this pirate
Now smiling, now irate,
Now honest, now lying,
Now nations defying,
Chaotic, unruly,
Mohammed Ben Muley,
Yours truly Rais Uli
Is not!

POSTSCRIPT

Later Advices—
(Rais Uli loq)
That is not in Tophet .
By heard of the Prophet
I'm not such a rash'um,
To die in that fashion,
Alone and obscurely
And most prematurely,
Sun setting, sun rising
I want advertising.
I relish the glories
Of newspaper stories;
Enjoy them most keenly
And bob up serenely.
When news is most meagre,
I like to beleaguer
Some Barbary castle
And hold merry wassail
With friend or with foeman,
In short I'm a showman,
I'll die with a pageant,
And ev'ry press agent
Will furnish the papers
Accounts of my capers.
Each man and each maiden,
From Bombay to Aden,
Will read the full story,
And mourn for old gory.
Chaotic, unruly,
Mohammed Ben Muley,
Yours truly, Rais Uli.
Eh, what?

—H. T. C. in Philadelphia Ledger.

PEOPLE OF NOTE

Emily M. Burbank, writing of Geraldine Farrar, says that the singer inherited her musical genius from her father and mother, who were singers themselves and great lovers of music, while her maternal grandfather's greatest interest was in training a little orchestra and composing music for it and his violin pupils. Miss Farrar is the only American who has received the title of court singer in Berlin and is younger by fifteen years than any other singer to be thus honored.

Mr. A. M. Broadly is said to possess the largest collection extant in two widely different subjects of widely different significance—one if Napoleonic material and the other relates to George Crabbe. On both these subjects Mr. Broadly promises new books. There has just come into his possession Crabbe's correspondence with Miss Elizabeth Charter. Both Crabbe and Southey when they were widowers proposed to Miss Charter, and she refused them both.

Crabbe put his proposal in the form of a poem that is contained in an album in the possession of Miss Charter's descendants. It will be printed for the first time in this volume, as also the copious collection of letters which Crabbe wrote to Miss Charter between 1815 and 1826. Mr. Broadly lives at Bridport, in the county of Dorset in England.

The memoirs of the Duchesse de Dino, are said to be bitterly brilliant and much franker than those of Madame de Boigne. The account of Talleyrand's niece, now appearing in the chapters of Madame de Boigne, published in the March numbers of La Revue des Deux Mondes, may have been the signal to the granddaughter of the Duchesse de Sagan to issue the Princesse de Courlande's account of her early years at the courts of Berlin and St. Petersburg. As though by foresight the Comtesse de Perigord (to give the author one of the six names which at various times she rightly bore), writing in 1822 anticipates the criticisms of Madame de Boigne. She has not as yet touched upon her career as hostess at the famous Rue st. Florentan house at Talleyrand, and it is not known whether the memoirs were continued to a late enough date to cover her career in London during Talleyrand's embassy of 1830.

"As a result of a drought it is now generally acknowledged in sugar circles that the Cuban sugar production this season will not exceed 900,000 tons, a deficit of about 500,000 tons from the previous crop," said Charles E. Switzer of Havana, Cuba.

"Thus far prospects for next season's Cuban crop are not brilliant, as the drought, which proved so disastrous last season, has continued quite generally throughout the island. It is still only the beginning of the rainy season and ample time remains for general recuperation.

"It should be understood that there is no immediate shortage of supplies of raw sugar to manufacture into refined in order to supply current consumption. What refiners are doing is merely to make provision for future supplies. Purchases being made abroad are for forward delivery."

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FORESTRY WORK

TO BE TAUGHT IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

All patriotic citizens should welcome the news that the National Wholesale Lumber Dealers' association resolved at its recent annual meeting in Washington to cooperate with the forestry department of the United States government in its plan to have the principles of scientific forestry taught in the public schools.

Patriots will rejoice at this action because the conservation of the most important of our natural resources is a work of genuine patriotism. To inculcate the principles of forestry in the minds of American youth is not merely to make a proper beginning, but it is the step above all others that will lead to the best results in the long run.

The child mind that is influenced by the patriotic measures of "Woodman, spare that tree!" can easily be taught the lesson why the timber supply should be saved from absolute destruction. The impressionable mind of the child can be taught lessons of timber preservation that cannot be pounded by any means into the denser mind of the parent already set in his ways and opinions.

It is far easier to convince the rising generation of the absolute necessity of government measures for the protection of the forest and the continuation of the timber supply than it is to convince a hardened sinner like Uncle Joe Cannon, for instance, who would have us take no thought for the future as far as the forests are concerned, but would let the future take care of itself, in the face of the actual condition that confronts us and the warning of the Forest Service that our timber can last only for a period measured by two or three decades.

At the present rate of reckless misuse, two things seem to be absolutely necessary:

First, as much skilled preservation of the forests as we can accomplish in the face of a divided public opinion and a divided or lukewarm congress.

Second, and more important, the education of the men and women of tomorrow in the principles that underlie true forestry.

The best interests of the lumber trade of the United States demand the enthusiastic support of government measures of forest protection and preservation. Forestry is not a mere theory. It never has been. An actual condition of urgency exists in this country, which has been late to recognize the importance of the subject, but not too late if we proceed at once to instruct young America aright.

Let forestry be taught in the public schools by all means. It is not merely a useful science, but an invaluable one, and the widest possible dissemination of its principles among young and old is imperatively demanded by the condition that confronts our lumber industries.—The Lumber Review.

ATHLETIC GROUNDS

FOR THE HIGHLANDS TO BE LAID OUT.

The executive committee of the Highland Improvement society has placed at the disposal of its special committee a sum sufficient to begin the work of laying out the athletic grounds recently acquired for the season through the cooperation of one of the local banks. It is proposed to lay out a baseball diamond, with a proper backstop, etc., and to put up basketball goals for outdoor playing.

INCENDIARY FIRE

Thirty Persons Fled From Haverhill Block

TWO YOUNG WOMEN AROUSED INMATES

By Pounding on Doors of Rooms

HAVERHILL, May 5.—Thirty persons had narrow escapes from death yesterday in the tenement block at 100, 102 and 104 River street, when a fire, which had its origin in oil-soaked furniture, was discovered.

A baby's cries awakened Jacob Maistrovsky, who discovered smoke pouring into the room. The flames were discovered almost at the same time by Miss Rose Sulkin and Miss Ruth Goldman. Their cries aroused the members of the five families in the block, and all fled to the street in their night clothes, some carrying small children in their arms.

The fire started in the barber shop and poolroom of Palo Ferretti, 100 River street, about 1.30 a. m.

That the fire was of incendiary origin the police say there is not the least doubt. The police found the cushions of the chairs and the walls of the barber shop saturated with kerosene, piles of linen on the chairs and the linen closets also soaked with oil. The rubber cover of the pool table had been pulled back and the cloth of the table saturated also.

The local police and state fire inspectors worked all day collecting evidence which will be presented to the court, together with an application for a warrant for the arrest of the suspect.

Ferratti is insured against loss by fire, having two policies for $600. He has owned the barber shop for about six months. Business has not been rushing at the place, but Ferratti secured a living from the trade, doing the barbering and caring for the pool room at the same time.

The block is owned by the Carbone brothers, who are insured against loss and the damage to the building will be considerable the fire having gone up to the first tenement floor from the front windows.

There are four families living in the tenements above the ground floor, in addition to Maistrovsky's family in the rear of his store. Ferratti does not live in the building. The family of Mrs. Rebecca Schwartz consists of three children and a boarder. In the family of Barney Sulkin there are six, Mr. and Mrs. Sulkin and four children. Hyman Goodman has a wife and six children, and the Maistrovskys have three small children, while yet another family, recently moved in, occupies one of the upper tenements.

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AT ST. JOSEPHS

Parish to Observe 40th Anniversary

The 40th anniversary of the foundation of St. Joseph's parish will be observed next Sunday at St. Joseph's church. The church will be attractively decorated on that occasion and the music which was rendered at Easter will be repeated at the solemn high mass and solemn vesper service.

FINDS HUSBAND

BUT HE WAS WITH NEW WIFE.

CLEVELAND, May 5.—For three years Mrs. Eva Goldberg of Providence, R. I., searched two continents for her husband, Abram Goldberg, alias Louis Riceman, and has at last found him in Cleveland married to another woman whom he had brought from Russia 18 months ago.

Goldberg was arrested on the charge of bigamy, and being unable to give bail was sent to jail. His second wife, Jane Goldberg, appeared with him in court and pleaded with Justice Murphy for his release.

Furnished with money from friends, Mrs. Eva Goldberg in her hunt for her husband first journeyed from city to city in the eastern part of the United States in pursuit of her husband. Several times she arrived in different places just after he had left.

At Baltimore she learned that he had sailed for Germany. In Germany Mrs. Goldberg wandered from city to city, always notifying the police of her mission.

It was finally learned that Goldberg had been away from Germany for three months and had gone to Russia. Mrs. Goldberg pushed on to Russia. There she encountered new difficulties, but at Odessa she eventually learned that her husband had returned to America and that he was married.

Mrs. Goldberg reached this country several months after her husband did and went to her home at Providence. There she received information from Cleveland that her husband was here. He was located by the constables.

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THE BIG BREWERS

Make Plans for a National Campaign

TO DROP UNDESIRABLE DEALERS

Who Only Injure the Liquor Business

MILWAUKEE, Wis., May 4.—Plans for a national campaign which is to include every state in the union for elevating the standard of the saloon business of the country will be launched at the convention of the United States Brewers' association here June 8 to 10. The association includes nearly every brewer in America and all the influential members have agreed that disorderly and disreputable saloons must be eliminated. With this end in view, it is believed a good part of the time of the convention will be given up for the discussion of this important subject.

In a small way the crusade against dive saloons has already been begun by the brewers in several parts of the country, but the plan is to extend this movement and during the next year many undesirable saloon men will be driven out of business.

This spirit of inquiry which has been started by the anti-saloon agitation has brought the brewers of the reputable saloon men throughout the country to realize that their worst enemies are within their own ranks. For some years efforts have been made here and there to rid the saloon business of its disorderly and law-defying element. In Massachusetts and in Pennsylvania this has been pretty thoroughly accomplished by wise legislation. In other states the laws themselves have invited and stimulated over-competition, which has proved disastrous to the morale of the business. Individual brewers in every centre have done what they could as individuals to improve the situation, but without much result, and it became evident that the work must be done in an organized way by the brewers and the retail liquor dealers as a body, if any lasting benefit was to be had.

The Texas brewers two years ago employed their own lawyers and secured their own evidence, and forced the hands of the police and prosecutors, and have rid the state of two thousand gambling and other joints, which were annexes to the saloons. The brewers of the board of trade of New York have now undertaken to do the same thing in co-operation with the committee of fourteen (organized to regulate the Raines Law hotel evil) and the bonding companion, which bond the licensees. As a result of this arrangement, it is expected that 150 disorderly places will be put out of business through their inability to secure new licenses.

The Buffalo brewers have already done the same thing, and it is expected that similar resolutions will follow in Rochester, Syracuse and other upstate cities.

The West Virginia Brewers' association has sent a circular letter to liquor dealers insisting upon their rigid compliance with the law in every particular. The New Jersey brewers passed resolutions in the same effect a few months ago; and the Ohio brewers have taken similar action.

The Minnesota brewers are also in line; and the Milwaukee brewers are now taking the matter up. It is expected that a wholesale house-cleaning will take place in the retail liquor trade in every city of importance.

FREAK DOG CALF

HAS HEAD LIKE DOG AND GROWLS LIKE A CANINE.

NORTH READING, May 5.—Living on a farm here and enjoying the best of health is a freak calf. It has a perfect dog-face and its owner, Nick Preble, has given the little creature the name "Gyp." The animal has already begun to attract much attention, and large numbers of people have visited the farm for the purpose of looking at him. The calf is a very intelligent animal, and although but a few months old Mr. Preble says he can do most everything but talk. Its teeth are undershot, like those of a Boston terrier, and its horns are just commencing to sprout.

It has coarse hair and no tail. Its ears resemble those of a dog and he sits up on his haunches like a canine. The front legs are short while the hind ones are long, resembling in some degrees a kangaroo.

Gyp also has a habit of growling like a dog, and he takes great delight in eating meat and milk.

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WANTS HIS WAGES

Negro Soldier Has Sued for $122

NEW YORK, May 5—For more than three hours last night, Judge Hough in the U. S. district court listened to arguments bearing upon the right of President Roosevelt to dismiss summarily the battalion of negro soldiers of the 25th Infantry for alleged participation in the Brownsville riot.

The arguments were on a demurrer to a portion of the answer of the government, in the action begun by Private Oscar W. Reid, to recover $122, which represented his wages as a soldier from the date of his dismissal without honor and the date of the expiration of his enlistment. The suit was commenced in the federal courts of this district. To the complaint filed in behalf of Private Reid, U. S. District Attorney Stimson entered a federal denial, and as an additional defense, contended the president has a right to dismiss the soldiers and referred to the reports of the various army inspectors recommending such action. These reports he had made a portion of the record of the case. It was to this part of the government's answer that Chase Mellen, counsel for Private Reid, demurred.

Counsel Mellen held that the enlisted men were protected by constitutional rights which the president had not the power to ignore, even as commander-in-chief of the army and navy, the enlistment operating legally, as a civil contract between the soldiers and the government. The power of removal, the attorney contended, was actually vested in congress, which created the army and navy and the president as commander-in-chief, possessed in times of peace only the power to apply the congressional act.

Judge Hough reserved decision, but told Lawyer Mellin from the bench that it would require considerable legal proof to convince him that the relations between the enlisted soldier and the government amount simply to a civil contract. Briefs are to be admitted by the attorneys in the case by Wednesday, and Judge Hough said he would take the matter up at the end of the week.

TOWN MEETING

Held at Grange Hall Last Evening

A special town meeting was held at Grange hall, Dracut Centre, last night which ended in a parliamentary tangle. Action was taken on articles four and five, relative to the appropriation of $1500 for the erection of a fire house at Dracut Centre, but the decision will have to be reached only after a legal light has probed into the matter.

Town Clerk John W. Brennan called to order and after reading the warrant proceeded to the first article which called for the election of a moderator. E. A. Stevens was elected.

Article 2 was to see if the town would vote to pay $500 to Amos P. Best for land damages which the latter claimed as the result of the surface drainage from the street flowing upon his land.

George R. Fox moved that the article be dismissed and Selectman Devlin expressed himself as being against dismissal as he said the selectmen wanted to be instructed as to how to proceed as Mr. Best had already entered a suit against the town.

There were several others who spoke and then Mr. Best was heard. The latter said his land had suffered to no little extent by the drainage turned onto his land by the town, and he claimed this to be the result of a culvert which was extended across the road to his property by the road surveyer. The drainage from the culvert had made what was formerly good land, a marshy meadow.

It was finally voted to instruct the selectmen to defend the action of suit brought by Mr. Best.

Article 3, relative to the Marsh hill school and land reverting to the Fox estate, was disposed by the voters instructing the selectmen to defend the town in the action brought by the Fox estate through the land court.

Article 4 read as follows: "To see if the town will vote to build a fire house on the Fanny E. Hall lot in Dracut Centre."

A motion was made to dismiss the article, but this caused pandemonium for awhile. A vote was taken and the article was sustained by a vote of 71 to 64. After the result of the ballot George H. Stevens offered a motion empowering the selectmen to provide suitable quarters for the Centre apparatus and company. This motion prevailed and was carried. Nicholas Gallagher then moved that the selectmen be given authority to spend $1500 from current expenses for the construction of the fire house. This added to the confusion, many being of the opinion that this could not be done, while others called for a ruling on the article. In the midst of the turmoil a motion to adjourn was put through and was passed.

BODY FLOATING

IDENTIFIED AS THAT OF ROBERT SNYDER.

NEW YORK, May 5.—The body of Robert Snyder, an employe of the American Linoleum company was found floating in the bay off Clifton, Staten Island, last night, and his relatives fear that he met with foul play, as all his valuables and money are missing. There is no reason to believe that he committed suicide. He was last seen alive while walking home at midnight Sunday near Richmond. No marks of violence were found on the body.

A RECEIVER

WAS APPOINTED FOR SOAP CORPORATION.

NEW YORK, May 5.—A receiver was appointed yesterday for the Buchan's soap corporation of which Daniel F. Sullivan, the former cotton operator, is president. Leonard Brenner, the receiver, stated last night that the liabilities amounted to $80,000 with probable assets of $90,000.

FLIM FLAM GAME

Worked by Sharper on Local Stores

ASKS FOR $10 BILL FOR SINGLES

And Returns Short Measure and Skips

A lightning change artist is at work in this city and the police are on the lookout for him. So far as can be learned he has been plying his game at bakershops, though he evidently tried it in other stores throughout the city.

He works the old method of going into a store and after making a purchase gets into conversation and impresses the attendant that he is a commercial traveler. He then asks for a $10 bill in return for ten $1 bills. As a general rule he is given the bill and he in turn counts out a number of bills and gives them in exchange.

He leaves the store in a hurry, however, and when he is gone it is found that he has given but four or five $1 bills in return for the ten spot.

The man worked the game at a bakery in Chapel Hill, but failed to do so at a couple of Gorham street bakeries. He is described as being about five feet and seven inches in height, dark complexion and of foreign features. He wore a dark gray suit.

SENATOR CRANE

To Go on Committee on Resolutions

WASHINGTON, May 5.—The distribution of convention plums is likely soon to interest the Massachusetts delegates to Chicago. There has already been some gossip here about the prospective organization of the 32 delegates, although no meeting will be held probably till all have arrived in the convention city.

Presumably one of the Massachusetts senators will be named as chairman of the delegation. Senator Crane has been mentioned here as the Massachusetts member of the resolutions committee and will be probably selected. It may be that Senator Lodge will be named as the Bay State member of the credentials committee. Good places will be provided for ex-Secretary Long and Col. Bigney, the other two delegates-at-large.

The designation of the Bay State member of the national committee may prove an interesting item of business for the delegation. Senator Crane, who has held the place for the last four years, has not said positively whether he would decline a re-election. If he would accept for another four years he would be named without opposition.

But it is understood that he is not at all desirous of another term. If the senator would have the national chairmanship there is reason for believing he could have it. But he is understood to desire that office as little as he desired it when President Roosevelt asked him to manage the campaign of 1904.

The senator's attitude is so firm on that point that there is considerable assent to the choice of Col. Harry New for the chairmanship. The nominee selects the chairman, but it is understood that Col. New will likely be entirely acceptable to all concerned.

DELEGATES NOT INSTRUCTED.

ANDERSON, S. C., May 5.—The republican convention of the 3rd congressional district met here yesterday and elected two delegates to the national republican convention. The delegates are J. W. Tolbert, of Abbeyville and G. C. Williams, colored, of Newberry. They were not instructed

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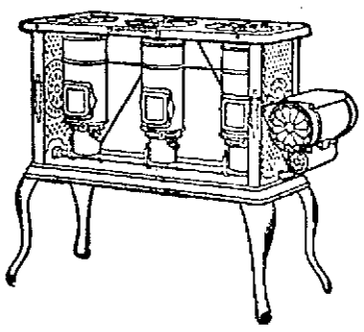

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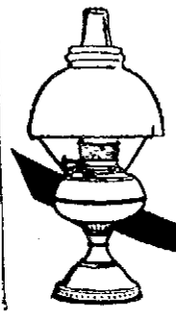

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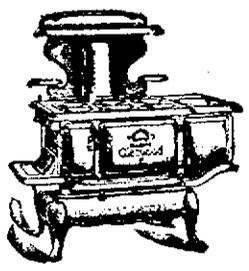

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GREENOUGH CASE

Two Suits for $700,000 Each

BOSTON, May 5.—The marital alliances of the late millionaire Joseph F. Greenough has resulted in two suits for $700,000 damages each, brought yesterday in the superior court by his second wife, Mrs. Emma P. Greenough of New York, one against his estate, and the other against Mrs. Martha D. Greenough of London, Eng., his first wife.

Mrs. Emma P. Greenough sues the millionaire's estate on the ground that he deceived her into marrying him in 1885, in the belief that he was unmarried, and into remarrying him in 1887, in the belief that he had obtained a divorce from his first wife.

She sues Mrs. Martha D. Greenough, the first wife, on the ground that the latter made alleged misrepresentations to her which induced her to marry Greenough. She asserts that Greenough and Martha D. Greenough were married quietly and the marriage kept secret, the wife being publicly known as Martha D. Higgins. She also declares that Mrs. Greenough and Greenough conspired to induce her to marry Greenough, Mrs. Greenough introducing her to him and arranging frequent meetings between them, and that both Mrs. Greenough and the deceased had represented that he was unmarried and free to contract marriage. She further alleges that she relied upon the representations and married and lived with Greenough as his wife.

She affirms that both Mrs. Greenough and the deceased represented to her that he had been divorced from his wife, and alleges that the divorce was collusively obtained in Colorado, where neither the first wife nor Greenough had ever lived. She avers she did not learn until after Greenough's death that he had not been divorced from the first wife.

There's nothing to it but a good time at Associate hall tonight. Calumet orchestra and Y. M. C. I. Dramatic club. Tickets 25c.

SAVINGS GONE

RATS ATE UP THE SUM OF $600.

WASHBURN, Wis., May 5.—Joe Perro of this city is poorer by $600 as the result of the work of rats, which used the precious paper to make their nests.

Perro is a laborer, and for years has been saving his earnings. He never believed in banks, and as he earned the money he placed it away in a trunk.

This week Perro decided to take a trip to Canada, and when he went for his money he found that rats had chewed it into such fine bits that it was absolutely worthless.

WESTFORD

The committee appointed in the recent town meeting to find the cost of building an addition to the Forge Village schoolhouse find that the work will cost about $7000.

OBLATE FATHERS

May Purchase Branch Street Tabernacle

FOR FRENCH CATHOLIC CHURCH

Nothing Definite Has Been Done as Yet

The Branch Street Tabernacle, at the corner of Branch and Middlesex streets, for 30 years a Baptist church may soon be transformed into a Roman Catholic place of worship for the Oblate Fathers of St. Joseph's to whom has been given permission to establish a new French parish in the Highland district are negotiating for the purchase of the building.

The tabernacle is a wooden structure with a seating capacity of 1200, and was built 30 years ago. Both Rev. Fr. Campeau, O. M. I., pastor of St. Joseph's and Rev. Asa Reed Dilts, pastor of the tabernacle, state that nothing definite has been done and Mr. Dilts further states that the matter has not yet come before the Branch Street society. They admit, however, that the matter has been discussed.

Another hit—By the Y. M. C. I. garden party and dance. Calumet orchestra. Associate hall, tonight. 25c admits to all.

SUES FOR $3000

Man Says $2,594.50 is Due Him

Gilbert Berard of Lowell has been sued for $3000 by Elisee Bibeault of Lowell in an action of contract. The plaintiff says that in June, 1907, he agreed with the defendant to build a cellar wall at St. Anthony's rectory and a cellar wall of the Portuguese church, both in Lowell. He says $2,594.50 is due him.

BUILDING LAWS

Are Being Violated Without Interruption

Mr. Editor: It would seem that we either have very poor building laws or else we have nobody to enforce them as there are many buildings going up at the present time that should not be allowed to go up as they do not comply with the law and will be unsafe. There are flimsy structures that will be veritable fire traps and there are buildings without the number of exits required by the ordinance. There are also buildings going up so close that if one catches fire the others cannot escape, and yet the inspector of buildings does not seem to know anything about it. It is time he got a move on and enforce the building laws if we have any. Mr. Editor, I write this as a contractor and builder who knows that the building ordinances are being violated every day whether with or without the knowledge of the inspector I do not know.

LEFT $100,000

HAVERHILL WOMAN AIDS RELIGION AND EDUCATION.

HAVERHILL, May 5.—Public bequests amounting to nearly $100,000 were made known yesterday when the will of Mrs. Catherine A. Ransom, one of the oldest residents and best known women of this city, was read. Mrs. Ransom was buried yesterday.

The Young Women's Christian association receives the old colonial house at the corner of Water and Green streets, with its pictures, household goods and other furnishings. The association will also get the handsome estate known as the Ransom house on Green street at the termination of a life estate. It is announced that the association will go into settlement work as a result of the gifts.

Other public bequests are: Centre Congregational church, $5000, for necessary repairs; American Missionary association, $500; trustees of Tuskegee Institute, $500, for a scholarship fund; Woman's Missionary Union association, $500 to be used for the heathen; Students' Aid Society of Wellesley college, $500, the income to be devoted to worthy students; Haverhill hospital, $500, for supplies for the Mary A. Buttrick memorial room; Norfolk seminary, $250, the income to be devoted to a membership fund.

HE RESCUED FIVE

Lynn Man Broke Down Door of House

LYNN, May 5.—Breaking in the door of the cottage house of Mrs. Otis McGovern at 69 Clarendon avenue, where a lively fire was burning in the dining room, Frank E. Leighton of 58 Clarendon avenue last night rescued Mrs. McGovern and her four children, Mabel, 8; Otis and Allen, twins of 4 years, and Ida, 5 years old, all of whom were asleep in rooms on the second floor.

The fire evidently originated in a sofa in the dining room and when the flames were seen by Leighton the room seemed to be all ablaze. Just as he burst in the front door Mrs. McGovern was awakened by smoke, and she began to scream for assistance. So hysterical did she become that she was unable to assist Leighton in carrying the four children from the house and he had to return and take her out.

Alarms were sent in from box 316 and box 531 for the fire, and the two calls sent all of the apparatus in East Lynn and Glenmere to the scene. A stream from chemical 2, with several pony chemicals, were sufficient to extinguish the flames.

The dining room was burned out and the furnishings destroyed. The loss is $500.

BOARD OF HEALTH

SUED BY RESIDENTS OF SOUTH LAWRENCE.

LAWRENCE, May 5.—The members of the board of health, while in session yesterday, were served with notices to appear at Newburyport next Monday in a bill of equity brought by Walter J. Harding and others to restrain the board from continuing to use a dump on Market street, South Lawrence. Recently there have been a number of complaints by nearby residents regarding the dump.

GETS HER PRIZE

CARNEGIE MEDAL ALSO FOR LYNN MAN.

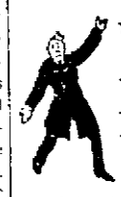
LYNN, May 5.—John T. Donovan, the Lynn man who was recently voted an award by the Carnegie hero commission for saving Miss Jennie Wilson of Lynn from drowning off Nahant, received his prize yesterday. It consisted of $2000 in cash and a gold medal.

Donovan works for the General Electric company in Lynn and is married. One of the conditions on which the award is given is that it shall be invested in a home, and this Donovan intends to do.

HAS RESIGNED

SIR ANTONY MacDONNELL GIVES UP POSITION.

LONDON, May 5—Augustine Birrell, chief secretary for Ireland, announced last night that the resignation of Sir Antony Patrick MacDonnell, undersecretary to the lord lieutenant of Ireland, will take effect in July.



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THE MASS DEPICTED

In Clergyman's Play "A Woman Of The West"

CHICAGO, May 5.—Gasps of astonishment came from an audience composed largely of Roman Catholics when the curtain was lifted on the second scene of Rev. L. J. Vaughan's play, "A Woman of the West," produced in the Bush Temple theatre last night.

The interior of a Catholic church showing the altar and an actor in the vestments of a priest performing the ceremonies of the mass was presented for almost three minutes. With an acolyte assistant the offices of the mass were depicted, the chalice was lifted and the mimic priest turned in benediction upon the audience to be interrupted by the flight of a fugitive into the edifice. Each representation of the mass was a copy of the genuine ceremony. Lighted candles arched above the altar and the music attending the service in Catholic churches was played upon the theatre pipe organ.

As the curtain arose upon the scene a burst of applause came from the audience but none came from a dozen Catholic priests and scores of church members scattered through the house. The intermission between the second and third acts was taken up by the excited discussions of the scene.

The play is of the melodramatic order. Father Vaughan said he had not consulted with his superiors in reference to the depiction of the mass on the stage.

"The celebration of the mass is stopped before the consecration of the host. It is simply a picture," he said, "a living painting, and should offend no one any more than a representation of the same thing in water colors or oils. The subject is handled reverently both by the matter of the play and in the acting. I hope it will lead people to think rather than to criticise."

ATTY. JEROME

Said He Would Go to Jail

RATHER THAN SHOW RECORDS

Of Grand Jury Hearing Before Com. Hand

NEW YORK, May 5.—District Attorney Jerome said today that he would go to jail rather than comply with an order received from Judge Rosalsky that certain grand jury minutes be filed with the clerk of the court of general sessions.

Mr. Jerome made this statement at the hearing of charges against him before Commissioner Hand who was appointed by Gov. Hughes to take evidence.

KILLED DAUGHTER

Then Ended His Own Life by Hanging

CLEVELAND, May 5.—Charles Kuppe, 60 years old, a music teacher, today ended the life of his invalid daughter Mollie, aged 27, with chloroform and then committed suicide by hanging. The father had brooded over his daughter's sufferings and had frequently declared it would be better if she were dead.

THE OUTBREAK

IN LIMA HAS NO IMPORTANCE SAYS CONSUL.

NEW YORK, May 5.—Eduardo Higginson, the Peruvian consul general at New York, has received advices from his government stating that the reported revolutionary outbreak in Lima has no importance whatever and is condemned by public opinion. Mr. Higginson said today:

"The trouble is isolated in character and has no weight or political significance. It was caused by the approach of the presidential elections in Peru at which time local disturbances are liable to occur. Latest advices received by cable today are to the effect that the leader Durand with a few followers was being pursued by the government troops. His capture is likely at any moment.

PADEREWSKI SAILS.

NEW YORK, May 5.—Ignace Paderewiski, the pianist, Madame Paderewski, Madame Mercella Sembrich, the opera singer, and Andreas Dippel, who was recently elected a director of the Metropolitan opera house, sailed today for Europe on the steamer Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse.

COTTON FUTURES.

NEW YORK, May 5.—Cotton futures opened steady. May 8.70, June ofd. 8.76, July 8.80, Aug. 8.74, Sept. 8.59, Oct. 8.62, Nov. 8.64, Dec. 8.65, Jan. 8.66, Feb. 8.71-72, March 8.72 bid.

BISHOP BANG

TO UNVEIL STATUE OF NORWEGIAN POET.

NEW YORK, May 5.—Bishop Anton C. Bang, at one time secretary of the late King Oscar II., arrived today from Sweden on the steamer Helig Olav. The bishop came here to unveil on May 7 the statue of the Norwegian poet, Henrik Wergeland, which was presented by Norway to the Normonne society of Minneapolis, Minn. Bishop Bang will also pay a visit to President Roosevelt, to whom he brings personal greetings from King Haakon of Norway.

TOBACCO GROWERS

ARE GREATLY IN FEAR OF RAIDS.

COLUMBUS, O., May 5.—That the situation in the Burley tobacco district in Southern Ohio is grave is the report made by Adjutant Admiral Critchfield, who returned yesterday after making a personal investigation of conditions there. No serious outbreak is anticipated for at least 48 hours, however. A mass meeting of the tobacco growers across the river in Kentucky has been called for Wednesday evening at Augusta to solidify the growers opposed to the raising of crops this year. Ohio tobacco growers, especially residents of Aberdeen, which is in the center of an independent tobacco growing region, are greatly in fear of raids.

Mr. Critchfield, who consulted Gov. Harris and Assistant Attorney General Miller, yesterday declared that the tobacco growers in Brown county were living in a state of terror, and many of them were worn out by nightly guarding of tobacco beds.

HARRY ORCHARD

WILL KNOW TODAY WHETHER HE IS TO HANG.

BOISE, Idaho, May 5.—Action to be taken by the state board of pardons at a special meeting today will determine the fate of Harry Horsely, better known as Harry Orchard, now under sentence of death for the murder of ex-Governor Steunenberg. Orchard has refused to ask for clemency. He says he is guilty, though repentant, and should suffer for his crime. Judge Wood, who sentenced him, has recommended a commutation because of the assistance given the state in its unsuccessful prosecution of the officers of the Western Federation of Miners, and Orchard's attorney has pressed the petition for mercy. The attorney will appear before the board today. It is not believed that anyone will be present to demand the execution of the full penalty of the law.

TOBACCO CROP

The Farmers Give Up Raising It

NEW MILFORD, Conn., May 5.—Dissatisfied with the prices received for last season's tobacco crop, many farmers in this section, it is said, will give up raising tobacco this season and will go more extensively into the cultivation of corn. It is further pointed out that the 1906 tobacco crop sold for good prices to the assorters and packers but the latter are said to have had much trouble in disposing of it to manufacturers, one large packer having as much as $200,000 worth stored in one warehouse with practically no demand for it. This packer is said to have lost nearly $50,000 on the 1906 crop. As a result of the amount of old tobacco on hand the packers showed little disposition to take up the 1907 crop and the farmers' returns were unsatisfactory.

GOVERNOR GUILD

Is Still Being Boomed for Vice-President

BOSTON, May 5.—With the rapid recovery of Gov. Guild and the assurance that he will soon be able to attend to his duties once more comes a renewal of the boom started for him as a candidate for the nomination for Vice President at the Chicago convention, which was allowed to slumber during the serious illness of the governor.

Up to the present time the name of Gov. Guild has been more prominently mentioned for second place on the national ticket than that of any other republican, and it will be no surprise if the governor's friends see to it that the boom is now given the impetus that is necessary to place the Guild candidacy before the entire country.

Down in Washington they are talking Guild for second place with an earnestness that is pleasing to Bay State republicans, and former Congressman Samuel L. Powers is back from the national capital more than ever convinced that Gov. Guild will be selected as the running mate of Secretary Taft.

Gov. Guild is so far recovered from his recent illness as to be up, and by the time the national convention meets in June it is expected he will have fully recovered.

The Guild candidacy is taken most seriously out in Michigan, but it is now almost a certainty that Massachusetts will sit up and take notice and perform its duty in presenting the governor's name instead of permitting a distant state to do it.

Gov. Draper and the republican bosses, who have been a trifle worried over the prospects of the party in this state this year, would be delighted to see Gov. Guild nominated, since it would help to bring out a strong republican vote and assure the success of the state ticket, no matter what the attitude of organized labor might be towards Mr. Draper.

O'DONNELL CO.

MADE LARGE PURCHASE IN NEW YORK.

The following telegram from Mr. Kelley, president of the O'Donnell Dry Goods company, is self-explanatory:

New York, May 4, 1908.

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Made two extraordinary purchases today. Five thousand yards fine embroideries, flouncings and bands, one-third price; one hundred silk jumper suits, half price. Prepare for big sale Friday. J. H. Kelly.

FAMILY QUARREL

Led to Tragedy in Jackson, Ky.

JACKSON, Ky., May 5.—Edward Callahan was fatally wounded by his brother-in-law, John Spicer, at Callahan's store on Longs Creek and Spicer was in turn shot and killed by Callahan's 17-year-old son, as a result of a quarrel between Callahan and Spicer yesterday. Spicer came into the store and he and Callahan quarreled. Spicer attacked Callahan and nearly cut off his arm. Callahan's son Wilson came in during the cutting and shot Spicer through the heart.

Spicer was a brother of Mrs. Callahan who is now separated from her husband. Callahan brought suit for divorce several months ago and this is supposed to have been the cause of the trouble.

THE RECEIVERS

TO GET $25,000 EACH FOR THEIR SERVICES.

PROVIDENCE, May 5.—In the final decree the superior court today discharged Rathbone Gardner, Cornelius S. Sweetland and James M. Scott, temporary receivers of the Union Trust Co. of this city and ordered that they be paid $25,000 each for their services. The balance of the $125,000 which had been set aside by the court will go toward the payment of the debts contracted during the temporary receivership. The balance will be turned over to the trust company.

SENT TO PRISON

FOR OBTAINING MONEY UNDER FALSE PRETENSES.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 5.—John M. Shook, formerly a first lieutenant in the 31st United States volunteers and who is an important witness of Senator Thomas C. Platt in the suit for divorce brought against the senator by Mae C. Wood yesterday, was sentenced to two years in the Missouri penitentiary for obtaining money under false pretenses by passing a worthless draft.

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Trains Leave Lowell
In effect February 3, 1908.

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UTICA—b10.30, a11.06, a11.55 a. m., b2.25, a2.41, a5.42 p. m.
TORONTO—*10.39 a. m., *12.09, b2.25, a2.41, a5.42, *8.10, x9.10 p. m.
HAMILTON—*12.09, b2.25, a2.41, a5.42, *8.10 p. m.
BINGHAMPTON, HORNELL, ELMIRA—b7.22, a5.00 a. m., b2.25, a2.41, a9.35 p. m.
SYRACUSE, ROCHESTER—b10.30, a11.06, a11.55 a. m., b2.25, a2.41, a5.42 p. m.
BUFFALO—b7.22, a5.00, b10.30, a11.06, a11.55 a. m., b2.25, a2.41, a5.42, a9.35 p. m.
NIAGARA FALLS—b7.22, a8.00 a. m., b2.25, a2.41, a5.42, a9.35 p. m.
PORTLAND—a5.25, b8.20, a8.45 a. m., a12.00 m., b12.10, a4.05, a5.06, a5.25, b5.45 p. m.
BANGOR—a8.25, by8.20, ay8.45 a. m., a5.06, a5.25, by5.45 p. m.
CALAIS, EASTPORT—(via Wash. Co. R. R.)—a8.25 a. m., a5.06, av5.25, by5.45 p. m.
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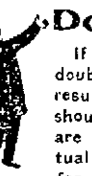

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LOST—Pocketbook containing sum of money, Apr. 25, between Gershom ave. and Ford street by way of Moody st. 146 Gershom ave. Reward.

LOST—Black silk fob with initials F. P. O. on face of charm. Liberal reward for return. Notify F. P. O., Box 1239, Lowell.

LOST—Monday evening, April 27, amethyst rosary beads, gold chained. Owner's name engraved on cross, between St. Peter's church and Pollard's store. Reward if returned to 31 Pearl st.

LOST—Black and tan hound pup. Reward if returned to R. R. Armitstead, 38 Mammoth Road.

FOUND—Purse of money. Owner may have same by proving property and paying for this adv. 427 Worthen st.

LOST—A pair of ladies shoes at Dows' drug store. Saturday afternoon. Finder return to M. Borns, 29 Marion st.

FOUND—A small sum of money on Moore st. Owner may have same by proving property and paying for this adv. at 31 Crowley st.

FOUND—Sum of money. Owner may have same by proving property and paying for this adv. at 152 Third st.

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TO LET—Good tenement of six rooms at 72 Chestnut st., Belvidere, $11. C. H. Conant, 53 Central st.

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Yachting

Expert Comment on Sporting Doings

Athletics

Craze For Small Boats In American Yachting Circles --- President Eliot of Harvard Ignorant of Value of Athletics

ACTIVITY is running loose in the boat yards where old craft are being tuned up for the 1908 season and where new sea skimmers are receiving their finishing touches.

Preparations for the yachting season around Chicago, Boston, Philadelphia and New York are very well advanced. That small boat racing (meaning boats under fifty feet over all) will be the chief feature of the year is a foregone conclusion. The reign of the small boat, with a Corinthian skipper, is supreme. All others, take notice that you positively must vacate the premises at once.

An evidence of the popularity of the small boat is the fact that one of the widely talked of events this year will be a contest between the east and middle west and that the contestants will be twenty-one footers.

Little Haste and Spray to Race.

The twenty-one footer Little Haste of Providence, R. I., owned by F. B. Thurber, and the Lipton cup racer Spray of Chicago, owned by Frederick A. Price of that city, will race on Lake Michigan in July. The Spray is the twenty-one foot champion of the great lakes, having won the title last August on Lake Michigan. The race will be for a $1,000 purse.

The Little Haste is a Burgess (Boston) sloop, thirty-nine feet over all, twenty-one feet on the water line, eleven feet beam and six feet draft. She was built in 1902. The Spray is a craft of later construction, having been built in 1906 at Chicago. She is thirty-seven feet over all and twenty-one feet on the water line.

The popularity of the small sailing craft has reached the point in all yachting centers in this country, where it may well be termed a "craze." In European yachting circles a majority of people look with contempt on small sail and power craft. The feeling is that the people who race small boats cannot afford large ones. Over here many a man of large wealth races twenty or thirty footers from choice and does not lose in caste thereby. As a matter of fact, even a twenty-one footer designed by Burgess or Crowninshield or Herreshoff or any of a dozen other designers costs a tidy sum to put into the water. And when it comes to paying a big sum of money for a comparatively little thing one of the Newport (R. I.) thirty footers tops the list. These celebrated Herreshoff "one design" boats are built of mahogany, and each is equipped with a suit of silk sails to be used on special occasion.

Speed the Chief Requisite.

There is one fault in the development of small boats along present American lines. This consists in the practice of designers and builders of sacrificing everything to speed. The designers, of course, give their customers what they want. Their customers want what they want just exactly as they want it, but it is within the province of designers and builders to instruct many a yachtsman in the superior advantages of a craft which does not wholly vary from the cruising type. The most comfort, safety and service are obtained from the cruising type. The most excitement is given by the purely racing type. Combine these two types judiciously and the ideal pleasure craft is had for all around purposes.

President Eliot's Latest Tirade.

President Eliot of Harvard is undoubtedly a man of surpassing erudition. When it comes to boxing the compass of political economy or to promulgating pronunciamentos regarding the increase of pickaninnies in the Panhandle section of West Virginia, President Eliot wins all the encomiums. He is a champion medal grabber in the heavyweight brain class.

But there is one subject that the honored potentate of the Harvard think works finds too difficult for him to handle sensibly. This subject is athletes and athletics. For the last three years President Eliot has been the yellow kid of the athletic world. Every serious statement he has made on the subject has been a scream. Every effervescent dictum he has put forth under the guise of wit has been so weighty as to poke a hole in the ground wherever it struck.

Not satisfied with this picturesque record as an athletic authority, the learned educator recently relieved his mind of a few more sweet nothings. Here are some of them:

"Football is the least useful of all the games because it can be played by very few and never beyond the college period. Football toughness is not the kind of toughness which is most profitable in after life. Its blazonings and crowded triumphs are an ill preparation for professional men in their later struggles, who do their best work alone, or at most in the presence of a few critical observers."

He classes baseball, basket ball and hockey among the "violent sports" that should be restricted or interdicted. One passage, the following, he issues with particular emphasis:

"Every intelligent youth ought to cultivate sports that he knows will serve him until he is old rather than those he cannot keep up after he leaves college. The moderate, generally available and long available sports are also much more wholesome than the violent sports which only a few can endure, and these few only while they are young."

President Eliot is away off side, not only in his facts, but in his conception of the purpose of athletic exercise. A game like football, for instance, does not lose in value to the individual because it cannot be played after a man leaves college and enters business. The fundamental purpose and value of football is the improvement that then and there his brain and body derive from the exercise and fresh air. His constitution is built up and bulwarked by fresh blood and new tissue. The functions of the vital organs are better performed. The body is given development that it never entirely loses. Many a man would never have lived to carry on a profession or a business if he had not played the very games that President Eliot decries. But there is not the slightest need of continuing after leaving college the pastimes of college life, as the president claims.

It is the worst of sophistry to argue that a youth should not indulge in sports unless these sports "will serve him until he is old." The youth does not want the sport to serve him until he is old. HE WANTS THE EFFECTS OF EARLY SPORT, PRESERVED BY MODERATE EXERCISE IN AFTER LIFE, TO SERVE HIM WHEN HE IS OLD.

When the president states that a youth should not take part in sports that he cannot keep up after he leaves college he evidences colossal ignorance of the basic principles of exercise, ignorance that is woefully unfortunate in a man in a position to make his ignorance, militantly exercised, a menace to those intrusted to his care.

President Eliot is a gay boy of the extremest type. Evidently he would not hesitate to permit the undergrads at Cambridge the privilege of indulging in the Chautauqua salute for hours at a time. This is his ideal form of muscular exercise, though it can be abused if the handkerchief waved in the salute be made from extra heavy cotton. All danger of a damaging strain of the muscles, however, is removed from the Chautauqua salute if a silk handkerchief not more than six inches square be used. President Eliot ascertained this fact by a series of experiments and investigations in the encyclopedia department of the Harvard gymnasium.

BEN TAVIS.

LATEST PHOTOS OF SOME OF THE FAMOUS BASEBALL PLAYERS OF THE NATIONAL AND AMERICAN LEAGUES

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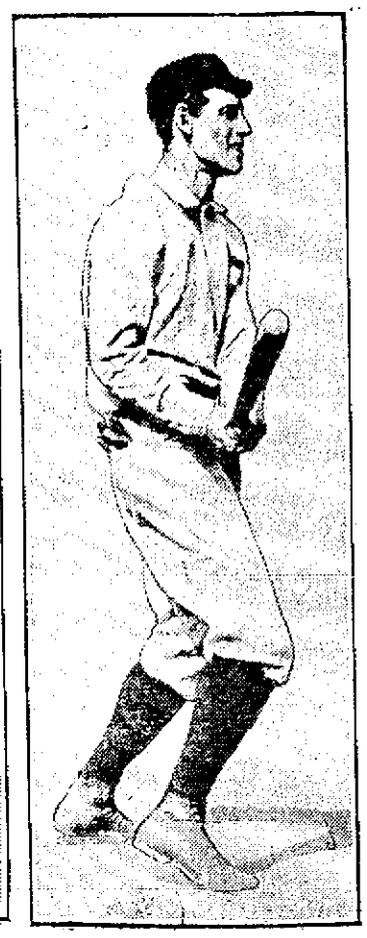

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Review of the Dramatic Season of 1907-8, Now Closing

[From Our New York Dramatic Correspondent.]

A RETROSPECT of the stage season of 1907-8, now closing, reveals the fact that musical comedy ruled the year, and strangely enough too. Legitimate dramas, as a whole, were inferior in merit to those of various recent years. Musical comedies, as a whole, were better than those of immediately previous years.

Probably the loss of Richard Mansfield to the stage was in a measure responsible for the artistic shortcomings of the season. Mr. Mansfield had for years brought the New York season to a climax with an engagement of several weeks' duration. E. H. Sothern's attempt to fill Mr. Mansfield's niche was unsuccessful, though at some future time it may be that he will accomplish his desire.

With successes like "The Merry Widow," "A Waltz Dream," "The Girl Behind the Counter," "Tom Jones," "A Knight For a Day," "Miss Hook of Holland," "The Talk of New York," "The Soul Kiss" and "The Hoyden" (in its new and revised form), powerful straight drama had powerful rivals for the public's dollars. Ordinarily, perhaps, the simultaneous run of several attractive musical productions would not have materially affected the career of real artistic straight drama successes. But the past season had to struggle along during a violent financial storm. Money was scarcer than snowballs in the Sahara. Play after play went to the storehouse (or to the secondhand dealers) that otherwise might have made money. Musical comedy, being the lighter form of entertainment, suffered less than straight drama. Straight comedy fared better than emotional plays or tragedies. That was a natural result of hard times. With real tragedy at home and at the business office during panic times, there is not much inducement to go to a theater to see how a heartless duke breaks the trusting heart of somebody's nursegirl.

Season's Best Plays.

Of the many straight dramas of the season "The Witching Hour," "The Thief," "A Grand Army Man," "My Wife," "The Honor of the Family," Ermete Novelli in repertory, including "Nero" and "Papa Lebonnard;" "The Servant In the House," "Twenty Days In the Shade," "Father and the Boys," "Lord Dundreary," "The Jesters" and "Paid In Full" were probably the best. The four first named and "Lord Dundreary" have been the best money makers. Kyrle Bellew is the chief drawing card in Henry Bernstein's "The Thief." His excellent acting and the excellence of the play form a combination difficult to excel in their particular sphere. Augustus Thomas is soundly considered to have written his best play in "The Witching Hour," which tells vividly a story of American life that grips one's attention from start to finish. The never failing Belasco piloted David Warfield safely into the region of fair breezes and deep waters for a year at least in "A Grand Army Man," by William Cecil de Mille and simultaneously gave his new Stuyvesant theater a successful inaugural.

Maude Adams and "The Jesters."

Maude Adams, not having a play half as good as "Peter Pan" or "The Little Minister," naturally scored to only about half her usual measure in "The Jesters." However, her personal success overshadowed some of the defects in the play. It requires a very poor play to cloud Miss Adams.

Mrs. Patrick Campbell would unquestionably have had a long New York run in "Electra," an impressive production and performance, had not internal dissensions broken out in the company which caused the closing of the engagement at the Garden theater.

There were several plays that proved artistic successes, but financial failures. In this class was "John Glayde's Honor" at Daly's theater, in which James K. Hackett essayed to return to New York as a popular star. The unnecessarily hostile attitude of several New York critics was principally responsible for the early closing of this well produced play. Similar kinds of successes, not very exhilarating to the managers, were "The Morals of Marcus," with Marie Doro; "The Secret Orchard," by Channing Pollock; "The Comet," with Mme. Alla Nazimova, and "The Rejuvenation of Aunt Mary," with May Robson.

Sothern's Productions.

E. H. Sothern's engagement at the Lyric was a pleasing feature of the season. "Lord Dundreary" was the best liked of his offerings. "The Fool Hath Said In His Heart" was justly condemned. It at no time showed evidences of lasting qualities. The putting on of "Don Quixote" was in the nature of a Mansfieldian enterprise, which, not having Mr. Mansfield behind it, gained only a moderate success. Mr. Sothern will expand in ability as an individual producer as his experience in this line increases.

"The Merry Widow."

Of course it is useless to reconsider the triumph of "The Merry Widow" in detail. The vogue of this play will last for continuous years throughout the country, almost, no matter who plays the important roles. The very name of "Merry Widow" in itself is a magic golden word that lures the pleasure seeker in every clime into the manager's net. Posterity will hear about this play and flock at distant dates to witness a revival of "the famous musical comedy that fathers and grandfathers of the present day declared to be the greatest piece of its kind in stage history." Those same members of future generations will view the play and in blase manner pose and say: "The sorry old bundle of words and music is too outlandishly out of date for any use. Gracious, what old fogies our old folks were to think 'The Merry Widow' amounted to anything! Why, back there in 1908 they used to think they knew a thing or two."

The big musical comedy hits of the season were not American productions to any great extent. This state of affairs is by no mean flattering to our native talent, which never loses a chance to assail managers for putting European pieces on the American stage. "Give us a chance" is the recurring outcry of the American playwright and musical comedy manufacturer. Yet how rarely when the chance is given does the individual American playmaker make good along the musical comedy line.

FREDERICK TRESCHLER.

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7.22	8.05	10.00	10.57
a7.31	8.50	b10.21	11.34
7.44	8.35	11.30	12.07
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8.46	9.25	1.00	1.37
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12.12	1.00	5.40	6.37
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3.43	4.25	b5.51	6.56
4.28	5.37	a6.14	7.37
5.22	6.15	7.30	8.05
6.23	7.05	8.30	9.08
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To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
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4.00	5.17	2.50	3.28
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KILLED HIS WIFE

Member of Fire Department Then Committed Suicide

DENVER, Colo., May 5.—Burton Koch, a member of the city fire department, shot and killed his wife, Louisa, wounded Mrs. Matilda Motley her mother, and then committed suicide early today. Mrs. Motley in attempting to shield her daughter received a shot in the left leg. The tragedy followed a series of quarrels and separations. A divorce was granted Mrs. Koch in April, but later she returned to her husband.

HOME OF PEACE

Corner Stone to be Laid May 11

WASHINGTON, May 5.—All indications point to a notable gathering on the occasion of the laying of the corner stone of the new building of the international bureau of the American republics on May 11. Sufficient acceptances of the invitations sent out by the governing board have been received from the highest officials in Washington, including the president and vice-president and representative citizens of Washington as well as from prominent outside officials including governors of states to make the event one of the most important of its kind in the history of the capital. The principal speeches which will be made by President Roosevelt, Secretary of State Root, Ambassador Nabuco of Brazil and Andrew Carnegie will have an international significance as the structure which is to be erected is to be the permanent home in Washington of an institution devoted to the development of peace, friendship and commerce among the American republics. The invocation will be delivered by Cardinal Gibbons and the benediction will be pronounced by Bishop Cranston, the dean of the Protestant clergy in Washington. The exercises will be opened by the director of the bureau, John Barrett who will present as the presiding officer the secretary of state and chairman of the governing board, Elihu Root. The marine band will provide the music.

MAKE IT FELONY

Move Made to Stamp Out Anarchy

CHICAGO, May 5.—Extermination of anarchy is the scope of a bill drawn by Assistant Corporation Counsel Hole which will be introduced in the legislature today by Rep. Albert F. Keaney. It provides that any person who shall publicly advocate by spoken or written word the killing of any person, whether in Illinois or in a foreign country, shall be deemed guilty of a felony and shall, upon conviction, be sentenced to the penitentiary.

HOLY ROLLERS

Disrobed in Street Were Driven Out of Town

WAUPANUCKA, Okla., May 5—Citizens of Bromide, six miles from here, were awakened at daybreak by the arrival of a band of Holy Rollers, who disembarked here from a westbound train and spent the night walking to the new town.

Beating drums and singing, they marched to Bromide Springs, where five buxom young women of the band began the ceremonies by disrobing in public and wading into the cold waters, praying at the top of their voices.

Mayor Smith ordered City Marshal Thomas Irwin to call every able-bodied man to his aid and rid the community of the fanatics. It took these deputy marshals three hours to clear the springs of the bathers and six hours to drive them out of town.

FIRST STRAW HAT

Worn by Col. Chadwick This Morning

The genial Col. A. M. Chadwick has this year, as last, led the season in appearing out with a straw hat. This morning he went to the Tremont and

Pencil snapshot of Col. Alfred M. Chadwick appearing in the first straw hat of the season.

Suffolk counting room wearing a nice new straw hat, which, we presume, sets the style also for the season, for the colonel is always well dressed.

His wardrobe may contain a winter overcoat, but Col. Chadwick rarely wears one. The heavy coats he considers an incumbrance and his fall overcoat usually carries him through until it is time to don the spring overcoat. Tomorrow, of course, straw hats will be numerous.

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I SHALL HOLD A FURNITURE SALE AT MY COMMISSION ROOMS AT THE OLD BOSTON & MAINE DEPOT, GREEN STREET.

which consists of two oak chamber sets complete, three iron beds, a very nice black walnut chamber set with hair mattress, 2 oak dining room tables, oak sideboards, dining room chairs (oak), 2 couches, 2 carpets, hall and stair carpets, 2 rugs, a very nice range with hot water front, practically new, some odd chairs, a chiffonier, lamps, lawn mowers, small cider press, refrigerator and lots of odds and ends too numerous to mention.

Special—2 upright pianos, 2 square pianos, a very nice organ, a two-seated Democrat wagon, upholstered in leather, 2 set of harness, a case of 4½ feet by 6½ feet, 8 inches deep with glass door and 75 horse shoes of different varieties. This would make a nice show for some blacksmith.

All the above goods will be on exhibition on and after Tuesday noon until time of sale. Open evenings.

TALKS ON TAILORING

BY

JOHN J. SULLIVAN

LOWELL'S LEADING TAILOR

25 PALMER STREET.

IT IS REFINED TASTE that prompts a man to have his clothes made to measure. The result may be a "perfect fit"—but that doesn't necessarily make him a well-dressed man. Some people think that expensive clothing solves the problem—but the costly-clothing-habit is no guarantee of the right dress effect.

There's a reason. It's the tailor's fault. Now there are tailors and tailors. Some know more about selling clothes than they do about making them—for it takes more than a firm name and samples of cloth to make a tailor. To be frank, many of them are in the wrong business—for in tailoring, as in everything else, there are only a few who are fully competent.

Mere reasoning makes it evident that custom tailoring is a particular business. It takes the best kind of experience, skill and judgment to make good clothing—and that is why I am able to embody fit, fashion, wear, grace, distinction and all-round excellence in every garment I make.

These are some of the reasons why men who wear clothes of my fashioning are referred to as "well dressed." A little thought, inspection of my equipment, and one short interview with me, should make it evident to you that I am the tailor you want to make your clothes.

USED THEIR GUNS

Burglars Were Caught at Work

THEY FIRED SEVERAL SHOTS

Men Fled Toward the Canadian Border

MONTGOMERY, Vt., May 5.—After breaking into the store of M. S. Parker which contains the local postoffice and firing several shots at William Mossey, a resident of the village three men were frightened away early today without obtaining any booty and escaped from the village, going in the direction of the Canadian border. Mossey was walking along the main street toward his home when he was held up by the men at the point of revolvers and was compelled to sit down on the steps of a church opposite the Parker store. One of the men stood guard over him while the other two broke open the store door. When the door fell with a crash Mossey made a break for liberty and although the man who was guarding him pursued him and fired several shots Mossey was not hurt. He made such an outcry as he ran along the street that the burglars without having stolen anything disappeared to the adjoining town of Berkshire on the Canadian border. The authorities were notified and at once began a pursuit of the men.

There have been numerous burglaries in Vermont during the last four months, the last one being at Stowe near here on March 31 when four men rifled the postoffice safe and secured $500 worth of money and stamps.

JEWEL ROBBER

Woman Charged With $3000 Robbery

NEW YORK, May 5.—Miss Sadie Papps, a dashing, fair-haired woman, about twenty-five years old, a manicurist, living at No. 1812 Avenue J, Flatbush, and Charles H. Hausler, until last July a bicycle policeman, were locked up in police headquarters, Brooklyn, last night on a charge of grand larceny.

The woman is accused of having stolen jewels to the value of $3,000 from the home of Benjamin Knowles, a real estate dealer at No. 200 Montague street, living at No. 554 East Twenty-sixth street, Flatbush. It is said there will be other charges.

The man was arrested as a confederate early in the day and held until the arrest of the young woman. She was apprehended while coming down the steps of the house at No. 310 State street, where Kausler roomed. She had gone there to see him and, finding him out, after a short wait came from the house and was arrested by Police Captain Kuhne, Detective Doulin and Lieut. McKenney.

HOUSE REFUSED

To Reconsider License Money Measure

The lower branch of the state legislature this noon refused to reconsider its action whereby the bill to give one half of the license money to the state was defeated yesterday. The vote on the question of reconsideration was 77 in favor and 85 against. All the Lowell representatives voted against reconsideration.

$200,000 BLAZE

Bad Fire in Frisco Last Night

SAN FRANCISCO, May 5.—Fire last night destroyed property in the block bounded by Market, Geary and Kearney streets and Grant avenue, valued at $200,000. It started in the kitchen of the Mentone restaurant. The buildings were of one story of wood, built since the big fire.

SOLEMN SERVICES

AT THE CLOSE OF THE FORTY HOURS DEVOTION TODAY.

Forty hours' devotion at St. Peter's church closed this morning with solemn high mass at which the celebrant was Rev. Fr. Heffernan, assisted by Rev. Fr. McDermott, deacon, and Rev. Fr. Mullin sub-deacon. At the conclusion of the mass a procession was participated in by the sodalities of the church and the sanctuary choir, the latter furnishing music.

ATTACHMENTS

RECORDED AT THE LOCAL REGISTRY OF DEEDS.

Among the recent attachments recorded at the registry of deeds is that of Catherine F. Stone, of Boston vs John Leary, alias John A. O'Leary of Dracut in an action in equity, the ad damnum being $2000.

Charles Lefebvre brings suit against James Gately in an action of contract in the sum of $800.

Go to Associate hall tonight. Tickets 25c. Best time of season. Best music. Best show. Don't miss it.

SHOE SHOP DANCE

Enjoyable Affair Held in Associate Hall

BY FEDERAL SHOE CO. EMPLOYES

Gold Watch Presented to Young Woman

The employes of the Federal Shoe company held their first grand concert and ball in Associate hall last evening and it was one of the most pleasing events of the season. It was a grand success, both socially and financially. About 275 couples were present and enjoyed the dancing, the music being furnished by the Calumet orchestra. Previous to dancing the orchestra rendered an excellent concert program.

DANIEL W. SHANAHAN,
General Manager.

The exciting feature of the ball was the ticket selling contest for a gold watch and chain. It was won by Miss Edna Lear of Lincoln street. Mr. Roberts of the orchestra in behalf of the management, presented Miss Lear with the prize from the stage and announced that Miss Weimitt, who was second in the contest, would receive a present today. It was the intention of the management to award but one prize but as the latter had worked hard and was so close to the winner it was decided to give a second prize.

The success of the affair was due to the great work of the prize contestants and the following officers:

General manager, D. W. Shanahan; assistant general manager, Arthur Paris; floor director, J. J. Rivers; assistant floor director, E. M. Spalding; chief aid, Harry Craft; aids, W. C. Sterling, Arthur O'Connor, J. F. Honen, W. C. Smith, P. H. Heslin, George Couture, E. C. Honen, Dick Bannister, W. H. Robbins, Al. Adington, P. E. Cockerille and Joseph Bosse.

Committee of arrangements: D. W. Shanahan, J. J. Rivers, Arthur Paris and E. M. Spalding.

ARE NOT GUILTY

Of Having Set Fire in Billerica

The case of Edward Sousier, Moses Millette and John H. Rydle, charged with setting fires in Billerica, was heard in police court this morning and all three were discharged as soon as the government's side of the case had been heard.

The case hinged on a technical point which had to do with the acceptance of certain provisions of the law, which it seems have not been accepted by the town of Billerica, and owing to that fact the court found for the defendants.

Lucy A. Clewley, of Woburn, was the first witness called. She owns property in Billerica between what is known as the old Billerica road and the Boston & Maine railroad track. It is near the Tewksbury boundary line and is partly woodland and partly meadow. She said that she did not give anyone permission to set a fire on the land.

William F. Symmes testified that when he reached the Clewley land the defendants were fighting and the fire was burning. He could not say whether or not the fire was set by the defendants. On cross-examination Mr. Symmes said he did not think the fire did any injury. He was of the opinion that the fire was set by a lantern. There were two persons [illegible] at the time. One had a lantern and the other had a lantern and a torch.

George [illegible] of Billerica, said his attention was called to the fire Saturday night. He went to the scene in company with Constable Livingston and saw the defendants [illegible] near the fire. The sparks were flowing for 50 feet through the woods, and but for the fact that there had been rain during the afternoon a serious fire would have resulted.

Constable E. W. Livingston corroborated the testimony offered by the previous witnesses. Cross-examined witness said that the defendants told him that they had started a little fire.

The government rested its case at this point and Lawyer Hamel asked the court to discharge the defendants.

Judge Hadley then quoted the law and after explaining it in detail ordered the defendants discharged.

THE UNIT RULE

May be Adopted by the Conn. Repubs.

HARTFORD, Conn., May 5.—Early interest in the republican state convention which will hold its first session this evening preliminary to choosing fourteen delegates to the Chicago convention is in the attitude of the delegates toward U. S. Senators Bulkeley and Brandagee who are believed to have a desire to go to the convention and yet have not signified their preference for a presidential candidate. It is not now expected that the convention will name either senator for delegate at large and should they be chosen a resolution embracing the so-called "unit rule" probably will be passed. Michael Kenealy, chairman of the state central committee, today stated that he believed the convention should give its judgement for secretary Taft without positive instructions and then should direct its delegates to vote as a unit. He says he will support such a resolution in committee and on the floor of the convention. The expectation is that the entire delegation will be selected before the convention begins business as a permanent organizataion.

With the two United States senators out of consideration the belief is held that national committeeman Charles F. Brooker will be selected as one of the delegates at large.

The only member of the Connecticut delegation in congress to be present will be Congressman Lilley who is a member of the state central committee.

JELL-O
The Dainty Dessert

PREPARED INSTANTLY. Simply add boiling water, cool and serve. 10c. per package at all grocers. 7 flavors. Refuse all substitutes.

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE
Proprietor—JULIUS CAHN—Manager

TONIGHT AND WEDNESDAY
Matinee Wednesday.
Frederick Thompson presents Edward Abeles, the original New York cast.

Brewster's Millions

Exactly as presented for five weeks at the Colonial Theatre, Boston.
Prices: Mat., 25c to $1.00; Eve., 25c to $1.50. Seats on sale.

SATURDAY, MAY 9,
MAY MUSICAL FESTIVAL
Mlle. Glacia Calla
Sig. E. Castellano
M. Victor Occellier
Mlle. Inganoff
Her. Anton Hegner
Prices—50c to $1.50. Seats Wednesday.

HATHAWAY'S
THIS WEEK
The Boyer Players present
IN THE BISHOP'S CARRIAGE
By Channing Pollock. A grand production by a carefully selected company, Mr. Alphonz Ethier and Miss Norma Winslow in the leading parts.
Matinees at 2.30—Only Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Saturday. Every Evening at 8.15. Popular prices.
Pianos from Grunewald's.

Annual May Festival

In aid of the

Day Nursery and Temporary Home for Children

Opens at Odd Fellows Hall, Middlesex St., May 6-9, from 6 to 11 p.m. Saturday, 2 to 11 p.m.

Wednesday, May 6—Military ball preceded by wall scaling contest for company prize, between members of local companies, M. V. M. Prize competitive drill.

Thursday, May 7—March of Nations, under the direction of Miss L. Blanche Perrin, from 8-9 p. m., followed every 15 minutes by individual specialties.

Friday, May 8, from 8-9—Pickaninny Minstrels under direction of Mr. Fred Blunt; 60 boys, six end men, special jokes and songs. Specialties.

Saturday, 2-5 p. m., children's afternoon Pickaninny Minstrels, and Miss Perrin's specialties. Punch and Judy, grab bag, toy table.

Saturday evening, 8-9 Picaninny Minstrels, specialties, followed by prize drill of High school cadets, and High school ball.

Good supper Thursday, Friday and Saturday, 5.30 to 7.30. Friday night specialties, fish chowder and steamed clams.

Dancing in banquet hall every night from 9 to 11.

Tickets—Season 50 cents. Single admission 25c; children 15, to be purchased at Ellingwood's or at the door.

Special events in aid of festival.

Tuesday, May 5, Associate hall, volunteer entertainment by members of Y. M. C. I. followed by dancing. Calumet orchestra. Tickets 25 cents.

Thursday May 7—Odd fellows hall, Whist Tournament. Tickets Ellingwood's—25 cents.

Friday, Odd Fellows hall. Bridge Whist Tournament. Tickets Ellingwood's —25 cents.

Theatre Voyons

Today
The Workingman's Revenge
The Land of the Gold Mines
Indian Bitters.
What One Boy Can Do.

"Where Is My Boy Tonight" and "My Heart Beats Alone for You" are the songs.

TEN CENTS—THAT'S ALL

STAR THEATRE
MERRIMACK ST., OPP. CITY HALL
Latest Moving Pictures
Newest Illustrated Songs
Best Vaudeville
Afternoons, 2, 3 and 4. Evenings, 7, 8 and 9.
SEATS—5 CENTS
Change of program Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

THE WEATHER

The indications are that it will be fair tonight and probably Wednesday; light north to east winds.

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6 O'CLOCK

ESTABLISHED 1878 — LOWELL MASS. TUESDAY MAY 5 1908 — PRICE ONE CENT

NIGHT EDITION

VETERAN FIREMEN

Are Unanimous For Holding Annual Muster in This City

The annual meeting of the New England Veteran Firemen's association is being held in Associate hall today. There are 81 associations connected with the main body and about all of them are represented.

The delegates did not meet this forenoon but visited about the city. James Walker, president of the Butler Veteran Fieremen and treasurer of the association, showed a party of delegates through city hall, Memorial building and other places of interest, and several of the visitors went a-viewing on their own hook.

The banquet was at one o'clock. There were short after dinner speeches and then followed the business meeting. President Randall of Portsmouth, N. H., presided.

THE BIG BANQUET.

A big banquet was held in the banquet hall of the Associate building at one o'clock, the visiting delegates and members of the city council to the number of over 200 being the guests of Mr. Humphrey O'Sullivan at a spread served by the D. L. Page company under the personal supervision of J. Albert Evans. Prior to the feast a rousing speech of welcome was made by Mayor Farnham who warmly welcomed the firemen to the city and assured them the time of their lives if they should decide to hold their annual muster at Lowell this year.

After the dinner Mr. O'Sullivan was called upon and accorded three cheers. He invited the delegates to hold their muster here and stated that Lowell would set a new standard for musters for other cities in the future to follow.

Several other speakers followed after which the business meeting was resumed in Associate hall. The members were unanimous for holding the annual convention in this city on Thursday, August 24th.

FATAL LIVE WIRE

Suit of Prince vs. Electric Light Company

Lawyer Johnson for the plaintiff, in the case of Turner vs. Williams, when a verdict for the defendant was ordered, asked the case be reported to the full bench owing to its unusual nature. The court took the matter under advisement.

LIVE WIRE CASE.

Just before adjournment the case of Nellie E. Prince, administratrix of the estate of her husband, Calvin F. Prince vs. Lowell Electric Light corporation, went to trial. William H. Bent for the plaintiff and the Messrs. Qua for the defendants. The ad damnum is $12,000.

Mrs. Prince seeks to recover for the death of her husband who it is alleged was killed on August 4th, 1907, by a live wire owned and operated by the defendant corporation which, falling from its pole as the alleged result of the defendant's negligence fell on his land and killed him when he came in contact with it while investigating. When found lying on the ground one of the falling ends was found to be within a few inches of his head while his nose was burned from coming in contact with the wire.

Mrs. Prince who went on the witness stand before adjournment was on the stand again this morning and she related the circumstances of the case, going out in front of the house after seeing a flash of electricity and hearing a groan to find her husband lying beside a sizzling wire dead.

Considerable time was taken during the morning over the admission of certain photographs of the locality which were identified by Mrs. Prince as being pictures of her home in Middlesex street, North Chelmsford.

Walter V. Burnett of Sixth street testified that he was a frequent visitor at Mr. Prince's house and was there the day of the accident. He reached the house on that day about noon. It had rained and blown hard the day previous and similar conditions prevailed that day. He met Mr. Prince first. Before going into the house he saw a couple of wires hanging down by the gate. His attention was attracted to them by a flash of electricity. He was three feet from the gate towards Lowell when he saw the flash. Witness said the flash was about five feet in circumference and was on the inside of the front gate.

When witness saw the flash he went in the gate and rang the bell. Upon entering he saw the two wires hanging on his left. They were hanging four or five feet above the ground. The wind blew them back and forth and every time they struck each other a flash occurred.

Witness told Mr. Prince about the wires and Mr. Prince went out. Witness sat at the middle window and in five minutes saw a flash and heard a groan. The flash was like a streak of lightning and filled the room for a moment. Mrs. Prince ran out the front door and witness followed her. He continued: "I found Mrs. Prince kneeling beside Mr. Prince, who was lying partly on his back and partly on his right side, his head toward North Chelmsford. His left hand rested on his breast and his right was outstretched. There was a pool of water beside Mr. Prince's head. There was a wire beside his head one or two inches of which rested on the ground within five or six inches of his head. The wire made a sizzling noise and a blue flame came from the end of the wire. His nose was marked at the bridge. He was dead when I got there. Only about a minute had elapsed when I got to the body."

On cross-examination Mr. Qua produced Mr. Burnett's statement to the Lowell Electric company at the time of the accident, and the witness denied several statements contained in it. The information in the statement was materially different from what he testified to today. Witness said he was a painter and was taking lessons in painting from the deceased.

LUNCH WAGONS

Four Applications for Licenses Filed

Four applications for night lunch cart licenses have been received at the office of the city clerk. The applicants are Martin Mack, who asks for licenses at the corner of Market and Central streets and the corner of Central and Green streets. John Burns asks for a location at the corner of Bridge and Page streets, and an application from John Mack reads, "corner of Central and Jackson streets"

The night lunch carts other than those that are occupying private land have been out of commission for the last few nights because of the new law which takes the matter out of the hands of the police and places it in the hands of the mayor and board of aldermen.

The aldermen will act in the matter tonight and, it is believed, will act favorably. The lunch cart has a great number and a peculiar variety of devotees, the patrons of the lunch cart include the newsboy, the straggler, the clerk, the laborer, the police officer, the business and professional men and others, and they are all out with a good word for the lunch cart, the place where one can jump in, get a sandwich and catch a car in five minutes.

O'DONNELL CO.

MADE LARGE PURCHASE IN NEW YORK.

The following telegram from Mr. Kelley, president of the O'Donnell Dry Goods company, is self-explanatory:

New York, May 4, 1908.

John B. Boulger,
Care O'Donnell Dry Goods Co., Lowell Mass.

Made two extraordinary purchases today. Five thousand yards fine embroideries, flouncings and bands, one-third price; one hundred silk jumper suits, half price. Prepare for big sale Friday.

J. H. Kelly.

TOBACCO BEDS BLOWN UP.

LEXINGTON, Ky., May 5.—Several tobacco beds on the farm of Joseph Ware in Boyle county were blown up by "night riders" last night.

AN EXPRESS TRAIN IN NO. CHELMSFORD KILLS A PAIR OF HORSES BELONGING TO JOSEPH RYAN.

STRUCK BY EXPRESS

Two Horses Killed at North Chelmsford Crossing

A pair of draught horses owned by Joseph Ryan of North Chelmsford was struck and killed by the down train which arrived in Lowell about 8 o'clock this morning, the driver, Joseph Drepeau, escaping injury by jumping to a place of safety before the train struck.

The accident took place just above the village at a crossing known as Eddy's crossing, a right of way crossing through private land formerly owned by Clarence Sprague, but now the property of Mr. Ryan. Drepeau was doing farm work and the horses were attached to a dump cart.

There are no gates and no flag man at the crossing, the approaching trains giving warning by means of the engine whistle. Two trains pass each other at a point near the crossing every morning and Drepeau attempted to cross the tracks just after the up train had passed along, not thinking of the proximity of the down train, which is an express.

Just as he reached the tracks the down train bore down on him and in an instant he had jumped to safety leaving the animals to their fate. They were thrown quite a distance and were instantly killed. The train stopped, but upon finding that the driver was safe, proceeded on its way.

MONEY IS NEEDED

To Make Changes Ordered in Schools

LETTER FROM STATE POLICE

Will be Read to Aldermen Tonight

A communication from Inspector Burfitt of the state police will be read at a meeting of the board of aldermen this evening. There are recommendations or, more properly speaking, demands, contained in the communication that will cause a request for a very substantial appropriation.

The state inspector came to Lowell some time ago with Inspector Smith of the lands and buildings department, visited 31 schools. After going back to Boston the inspector mailed his communication and told of the changes and repairs that would have to be made in the schools.

The local inspectors after looking over and acquainting themselves with the communication and its demands decided that it would cost, at the very least calculation, $10,000 to do what the state inspector ordered and the department will ask an appropriation for that or a greater amount.

The changes, which include exit signs, changing of doors, installation of fire extinguishers, etc., are all ordered, the state inspector says, in the interest of safety and must be attended to.

FOUR KILLED

BY EXPLOSION AT THE DRAPER COLLIERY.

POTTSVILLE, Pa., May 5.—Four men are reported to have been killed at the Draper colliery of the Philadelphia Coal & Iron Co. by an explosion.

COUNSEL BECK

FILES ANSWER OF ROGERS AND STILLMAN.

NEW YORK, May 5.—Mr. James M. Beck who as counsel for H. H. Rogers and James Stillman filed their answer at Salt Lake yesterday in the Union Pacific merger suit, said today:

"The Associated Press despatch from Salt Lake was distinctly misleading and at some points apparently malicious. The statement that either of my clients claimed damages by reason of the government's allegations in the merger suit is utterly ridiculous. Some stupid reporter must have mistaken the prayer for dismissal with costs, with which every lawyer in the country is familiar, a claim for damages. The statements with reference to the purchase of the Santa Fe stock which seemed to imply that either of my clients had purchased a majority of the Atchison stock seems too absurd to warrant even a denial."

MISS FRENCH

BECOMES THE BRIDE OF SAMUEL WAGGSTAFF.

NEWPORT, R. I., May 5.—The wedding of Miss Pauline French and Samuel Waggstaff took place this afternoon at the St. John's Episcopal church, Rev. Charles A. Beattie officiating.

Miss French is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Tuck French and a sister of Mrs. Alfred G. Vanderbilt. There was a large gathering of the social colony of the city present at both the ceremony and the reception which occurred immediately after at Mrs. Vanderbilt's residence, Harbor View.

FELL FROM CAR

TULSA, Okla., May 5.—W. T. Brady, democratic committeeman from Oklahoma, fell from a swiftly moving street car here last night and sustained serious although not necessarily fatal injuries.

LOWELL MEN TO ATTEND.

Several Lowell men will attend the installation of officers of the St. Charles T. A. society of Woburn in that city on Thursday evening. District Deputy Doneghue of the society will install the officers, assisted by Deputy Doherty and ex-Pres. Thomas McColgan.

LOCKING HORNS

OHIO DEMOCRATS HAVE NOT AGREED ON PLATFORM.

COLUMBUS, O., May 5.—The democratic leaders today are locking horns over the platform. There is little or no opposition to the plank endorsing William J. Bryan for president but Mayor Tom L. Johnson of Cleveland is making things lively by demanding that the initiative and referendum plank go into the platform. Johnson is also fighting for a franchise tax plank. It was announced today that there will be nothing said in the platform on the temperance issue. The committee does not get together to consider the platform until four o'clock this afternoon.

WILL REPORT TONIGHT.

The committee appointed by the Mathews to make the necessary preparations for the trip to Worcester on July 4th, has formulated a plan, that will be submitted to the institute tonight at the meeting. Interest in the affair continues to grow and a big crowd, it is anticipated, will make the trip.

DEATHS

PLUNKETT—Mary E. Plunkett, aged 40 years, died today at her home, 9 Newhall street. She leaves a husband, Thomas F., three children, a mother, Mrs. Mary Kelly and one sister, Mrs. John Blessington.

2000 ARE IDLE.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., May 5.—Two thousand employes of the St. Louis and San Francisco railroad shops here were laid off today for an indefinite period. The reason assigned by the company is financial depression.

INTEREST

BEGINS

NEXT SATURDAY

Washington Savings Institution

57 CENTRAL STREET.

POWERS PARDON

Governor Has Not Read All the Papers

IT WILL BE SEVERAL DAYS

Before He Can Announce His Decision

FRANKFORT, Ky., May 5.—Governor Wilson was unable to complete the reading of all the papers of the Caleb Powers pardon petition in time to announce a decision today as had been anticipated yesterday. He says that it may be several days before his decision can be announced, the pressure of other matters causing the delay.

THREE CONVICTIONS.

Four times has Caleb Powers, former secretary of state of this commonwealth, been put on trial for his life and at three of these trials the jury brought in a verdict of conviction. The charge against him was that he had conspired with others to bring about the assassination of Senator William Goebel on Jan. 30, 1900, Goebel then being a contestant for the gubernatorial chair. According to the charge Goebel was shot from a window of Secretary of State Powers' office. At the time the shooting occurred Powers was in Louisville, but it was asserted he had lent his office key to others so that the murderer of the governor could stand at the window when he fired. At the time of the trials and in the magazine articles written by him, Powers declared that he had no knowledge that Goebel was to be shot and denied that he had anything to do with the shooting. Few trials in the history of the country have held wider interest and few have developed more sidelights. Kentucky feud troubles have been more or less connected with the whole case and there have been claims of political difficulties that influenced action at various stages of the noted trial. Three times Powers was convicted and twice sentenced to death but at the fourth trial the jury disagreed and in view of that fact the movement for a possible pardon was given additional impetus.

The petition for pardon that was presented to Governor Wilson was most voluminous, containing not only signatures of thousands of Kentuckians but also the names of people from all parts of the United States and even from points in Africa and Australia.

During his long imprisonment in the custody of both state and federal officials at various stages of the proceedings which included appeals to the supreme court of the United States Powers continued the study of law and announced that he would engage in practice when released, but some months ago he gave out the statement that he would be a candidate for congress in case of a pardon. These statements were made as an expression of his confidence that he would ultimately regain his freedom.

James Howard, a noted feudist of Clay county, was accused in confessions by Henry F. Youtsey of taking part in the actual assassination and the possible connection of Youtsey and Howard with the case has been the occasion for many conflicting statements in the shape of newspaper interviews, affidavits in the various trials, appeals on behalf of different persons who had been in some way implicated in the various trials.

Youtsey, who was stenographer and private secretary to Gov. Taylor, said that Powers gave him the office key and his testimony had been one of the most bitterly assailed points in the case against Powers.

THE HITCH

OVER THE GRANTING OF THE JOYCE LICENSE.

The present hitch over the granting of the Joyce license in Central and Middle streets is due to the fact that it has gone through a process of re-incorporation. What was formerly known as The Charles H. Joyce Company assigned and later his creditors put him into bankruptcy and later The Joyce Company was formed, which takes away with it the good will of the old corporation.

STREET WORK

SUPT. MORSE HAS LOTS OF IT MAPPED OUT.

The steam roller is at work in Sixth street today and street work in that vicinity will be in order for the next few weeks. Asked today when he intended to get the street work going in good shape, Supt. Charles Morse of the street department said all that was holding him back was money. He said he had a lot of work mapped out and he is simply waiting an assignment of the long green.

Rock street is to be paved with the stones that were taken from Central street and Mr. Morse says it will be one of the best streets in the city.

The meetings scheduled for this week at city hall: Regular meeting of the aldermen and meeting of the water board tonight; committee on accounts 2 o'clock tomorrow and committee on fire department Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

WEEKLY DRILL

POLICE OFFICERS HAD THEIR USUAL TRAMP TODAY.

The patrolmen on the two night shifts held the second of the series of drills at the High school annex this afternoon. The men were put through the manual in the guard room at the station after which they marched to the annex where they were put through an extended drill.

SHEA LICENSE

COL. CARMICHAEL THREATENS TO GO TO COURT AGAIN.

The hearing on the protest against the license of Edward F. Shea & Co., of 73 East Merrimack street filed by James McLaughlin, proprietor of Les Miserables bowling alleys on the ground that the place was within twenty-five feet of his premises, did not take place this afternoon as per schedule as Mr. Shea surrendered his license and made new application.

In conversation with a representative of The Sun, Lawyer Carmichael, counsel for Mr. McLaughlin, said that if any part of the premises covered by the new application was within 25 feet of the alleys he would file another petition with the court.

IN WESTFORD

MAN GRANTED A LICENSE DOES NOT WANT IT.

While there are a number of Lowell people who applied for liquor licenses and feel greatly put out because they figured among the unlucky ones, the same condition of affairs does not exist in the town of Westford, which went license this year after having been dry for over a score of years.

Three licenses were granted, but only two were issued as the third man did not call for his license. The selectmen afterwards learned that the man in question did not want the license. One of the selectmen came to Lowell today for the purpose of securing an application blank at the office of the local board.

FINE DWELLING

TO BE ENACTED IN PRINCETON STREET.

The applications for permits to build registered at the office of the superintendent of lands and buildings since the last were published include one for a $3600 dwelling in Princeton street.

The American Hide & Leather company asks for a permit to install an elevator in their plant in Perry street.

STOCK MARKET

Today's Quotations on Active Stocks

Furnished by F. W. Mills, 33 Hildreth Bl'g.

The following are the closing quotations of today's stock market for active stocks.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Atchison	81¾
Am. Beet Sugar	19½
Am. Cotton Oil	28⅞
Am. Car and Foundry	35½
Am. Ice	23¾
Amalgamated	61½
Am. Sugar	127
Am. Smelting and Ref. Co.	73⅞
Am. Locomotive	48½
Anaconda	39¾
Baltimore & Ohio	87¼
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	47¾
Chesapeake & Ohio	35⅞
Chicago Great Western	4⅞
Chicago & Northwestern	151⅞
Colorado Fuel and Iron	24⅜
Colorado So	30⅞
Colorado So. 1st	59⅜
Columbus Hocking Iron	18
Cent. Leather	26⅝
Canadian Pacific	155
Duluth So. Shore com	16
Duluth So. Shore pfd	21½
Delaware & Hudson	159¾
Erie	18⅝
Erie 1st	33¾
Gen. Elec.	133⅞
Great Northern pfd	127⅜
Louisville and Nashville	106⅜
Illinois Central	135
Interboro con.	10
Interboro pfd	28
Int. Steam Pump	24⅞
Mexican Central	15⅜
Missouri, Kansas & T.	27⅜
Missouri, Kansas & T. pfd	60
Manhattan	133⅞
Metropolitan	29
Missouri Pacific	49¼
National Biscuit	85⅞
Northern Pacific	133
New York Central	102⅞
National Lead	62⅞
N. Y. Airbrake	69
Norfolk	68⅞
N. Y. N H & H R R	135¼
Pacific Mail	26⅞
People's Gas	89⅞
Pressed Steel Car	28⅝
Reading	110
Rock Island	15⅜
Rock Island pfd	32¼
Republic Iron and Steel	17⅜
Republic Iron and Steel pfd	66¼
St. Paul	130⅞
Sloss-Sheffield	45¼
Southern Railway	15⅜
Southern Railway pfd	40⅜
Southern Pacific	82⅞
Tenn Copper	35
U S Steel	36½
U S Steel pfd	102½
Union Pacific	135¼
Utah Copper	28⅞
Westinghouse	63¼
U S Rubber	29⅞
Wabash	10½
Wabash pfd	19½
Va. Ca. Chem	20⅞
Western Union	51¼

BOSTON STOCKS.

American Tel	118
Boston	12
Copper Range	70
Butte C	22⅝
Cal & H	650
Centennial	22
Franklin	7⅜
Greene, Canaea	8⅛
La Salle	14⅝
Mass. Electric	9
Mass. Electric pfd	43
Mass. Gas	53
Mass Gas pfd	85
Mohawk	46
North Butte	57⅜
Old Dominion	34⅜
Parrot	19⅞
Quincy	83
Trinity	13⅞
Shannon	12
United Fruit	127⅞
Utah	36⅞
U. S. Smelting common	39⅞
U. S. Smelting pfd	[illegible]
Woolen	[illegible]
Woolen pfd	86

PARK BOARD MET

Petition to Remove An Old Tree

BROUGHT OUT REMONSTRANTS

Tree Obstructs View of Bank's Sign

The park commission at a meeting held last night considered a petition by Edward B. Carney to remove a tree in Shattuck street. The tree is a landmark and said to be more than 60 years old.

The petitioner said that the tree obstructed the view of the bank sign in Shattuck street and darkened the interior of the bank. He said the bank intended to build a granolithic walk but would not be able to do so unless the tree was removed.

The petition for the removal of the tree was signed by Mr. Maker who has a store in the bank building. His reasons for the removal of the tree were similar to those expressed by Mr. Carney. The petition was also signed by Dr. Burnham.

There were several remonstrants to the petition and they argued that the tree was not only a beautifier but a protection against the sun. The remonstrants included William E. Badger, Mrs. Spalding, Mr. White, A. J. Fay and Mr. Joy.

The petition was referred to Messrs. Hall and Green for a view.

The commission approved monthly bills.

THE LOWELL MEN

How They Voted on Salary Raise

The lower branch of the state legislature yesterday passed the bill increasing the salaries of judges of the supreme court from $8,000 to $10,000. Rep. Conley, Meehan and Varnum, of this city, voted against the measure and Reps. O'Donnell, Greenwood, Kittredge and Johnson voted in favor of raising the salaries.

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NOTICE

The city authorities having failed to provide suitable quarters which the increase of business in the department of weights and measures requires, I have rented workrooms at 64 Railroad street for one month, the rent to be paid from my present appropriation. I do this to comply with the law which says: "Cities and towns must provide a place where the inhabitants can bring their scales, measures, milk bottles, etc., and have them tested without expense. If they fail to bring them, then the sealer must go to their places of business and a charge will then be made."

NOTICE

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

Your attention is called to the following:

In accordance with the law of the commonwealth, the undersigned, sealer of weights and measures for the city of Lowell, hereby gives notice that from the seventh day of May till the 28th day of May he will be at 64 Railroad street, daily except Saturday, and give attention to those who may call upon him for the purpose of having their scales, measures and milk bottles examined and approved. I will be at my present office in city hall on Saturdays for consultation. It is fair to presume that by the time this arrangement expires the city will have made some permanent arrangement for this department.

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JOHN J. HOGAN
Grand Regent.

ALBERT W. DAVID,
Chairman of Committee.

GRAND REGENT

Entertained Committee at Washington Club

WORK OF COMMITTEE PRAISED

By the Officials Who Attended Convention

Grand Regent John J. Hogan, of this city, entertained the local committee having in charge the arrangements for the entertainment of the grand council of the Royal Arcanum, at the recent session held in this city, at the Washington club last night. A. W. David, chairman of the committee, presided.

An excellent dinner was served by the club's chef and after the menu had been discussed Mr. J. S. Jackson presided at the piano, while a pleasing musical program was carried out, consisting of solos by Grand Regent Hogan, Supreme Representative A. G. Walsh, and Brothers E. E. Maynard, J. J. Ivers and N. R. Mahoney.

CHAIRMAN DAVID.

Chairman David read the following testimonial which was presented at the grand council session by a special committee appointed to convey the appreciation of that body for the hospitality and entertainment extended by the local members of the order and was unanimously adopted at the session:

Lowell, April 24, 1908.

To the Officers and Members of the Grand Council, Royal Arcanum, of Massachusetts:

Brethren: Your committee to whom was referred the very pleasant duty of conveying in fitting terms the appreciation of the members of this grand council to the councils of Lowell and vicinity, for the reception, hospitality and entertainment tendered during this session, respectfully submit the following:

The abundant evidence of royal good fellowship, including everything that wisdom could devise and fraternity prompt, has in large measure redeemed Massachusetts from the accusation of being cold and indifferent, and has given currency to the expression "southern hospitality" as of special local significance. The welcome extended by His Honor Mayor Farnham, which was timely, hearty and eloquently forceful, gave us the freedom of the city and municipal protection.

The concert in Assembly hall, including the music of Starbird's orchestra, the banquet in Banquet hall, which in all its appointments was served in exquisite taste, and with liberal allowance, will long be remembered.

The public meeting in Assembly hall, the entertainment by the "Musical Five," and the special exercises at the regular meeting of Highland council, made us to feel that we would like to be in two places at the same time, alike for entertainment and instruction.

The trolley ride on this perfect morning was well planned, well executed and both delightful and health-giving.

The courtesy of the Spindle City was extended through the management of the Hamilton mills, and was a revelation to all who entered and admired the mystery of the cotton product.

The souvenirs given out at room No. 6, with generous hand, and the offer of all as a gift which we had the courage to ask for, will impress the memory and the worth of our brethren in Lowell and vicinity so indelibly upon the tablets of our appreciative hearts and lives, that hallowed associations will henceforth cluster, rest, and linger with our lavish benefactors, and the 31st annual session of the grand council of Massachusetts.

We wish for you all, many years of peace, prosperity and blessings abundant.

Respectfully submitted in V. M. C.,
Henry Goodwin,
Daniel B. Beckford,
Walter H. Hadley,
Committee.

The following resolutions were passed by the local committee before adjourning last evening:

Resolved—That the thanks of this committee be extended to His Honor Mayor Frederick W. Farnham for his presence and eloquent words of welcome at the opening of the grand council session; to the hotels of Lowell for the satisfactory and courteous manner in which they took care of our guests; to the board of trade, E. W. Hoyt Co., and U. S. Cartridge Co., for contribution of souvenirs which were highly prized by the visitors; to the press for generous and accurate reports of various functions and mention of the order; to Highland council, No. 970, R. A., for holding its meeting at Odd Fellows temple on the evening of April 23 and for services of its first class degree team and quartet; to the D. L. Page Co., for its elaborate banquet and excellent service; to Chas. F. Young and Bro. Thos. J. Goyette for attractive decorations that were favorably commented on; to the volunteer ushers at the public meeting; to the police and firemen for their services at the hall; to the Boston & Northern street railway and Supt. Maloney for courtesies in connection with the trolley rides; to the Hamilton company and Bro. John P. Green, for courtesies in connection with visit of guests to the mill; to Janitor Kittredge and his assistants at Odd Fellows temple; and to members of the order in Lowell and North Billerica; also people of Lowell generally for various generous assistance and courtesies extended during the two days of the grand council session.

It was announced during the evening that all bills incurred by the committee had been or would be paid in a few days, sufficient money being in the treasurer's hands to meet all indebtedness.

Before the committee adjourned a rising vote of thanks was tendered Grand Regent Hogan for his hospitality.

GOV. HUGHES

MAKES ANOTHER ATTACK ON RACE TRACK GAMBLING.

NEW YORK, May 5.—Delegates from 250 churches and hundreds prominent in the professions and the business world, filled Carnegie hall last night to hear Gov. Hughes address a mass meeting as a protest against race track gambling. The governor's speech was one of a series of addresses he is making throughout the state in the interest of anti-race track gambling legislation. He was the object of a demonstration when he appeared on the platform last night, which lasted several minutes and frequently during his speech, the audience interrupted him with salvos of applause.

GRAND JURY

RESUMES INQUIRY INTO PAPER COMPANIES' AFFAIRS.

NEW YORK, May 5.—The federal grand jury yesterday resumed its inquiry into the affairs of the Manila and Fibre Paper Manufacturers association, particularly with reference to what is known as the "Parks pooling plan." The witnesses were Dr. James F. Campbell, president of the Sulphite Paper and Pulp company, of Dexter, N. Y.; James A. Otterson, of the Degrasse Paper company, of Carthage, N. Y.; David Kersey, employed in the offices of John H. Parks, secretary of the Manila and Fibre Paper Manufacturers association in this city, and Joseph S. Trueman, manager of an express company.

WENT TO THEATRE

The Building Committee Did Not Meet

MAYOR FARNHAM ALSO THERE

Two Boxes Occupied by City Fathers

The committee on lands and buildings was scheduled for a meeting at the city hall last night but a quorum was not present and there was no meeting. Hathaway's theatre had a greater attraction for the members of the committee than had business and they were out at Hathaway's in full force. Two boxes were occupied by our talented city fathers and Mayor Farnham was there too.

SUPREME COURT

TO HEAR CASE AGAINST TWO ALLEGED EMBEZZLERS.

BOSTON, May 5.—United States District Attorney Asa P. French received word from Washington late yesterday that the case of John W. Dickinson of Newton and Charles W. Foster, charged with the embezzlement of about $149,000 of the funds of the South Danvers National bank of Peabody, is to be heard on exceptions by the United States supreme court at an early day. The alleged embezzlement occurred in 1901, the amount of money said to have been misappropriated being nearly equal to the bank's capital, $150,000. Foster was cashier of the bank and Dickinson, who was a capitalist with interest in a big plant at Penacook, N. H., was a stockholder. The alleged embezzlement wrecked the bank and many prominent Essex county depositors never received their money. Dickinson and Foster were tried before a jury in the United States district court, but on account of the intoxication of one of the jurors the case was taken from the jury. At the second trial two of the jurors were taken ill but the defendants waived all rights and the trial proceeded with but ten jurors. Later a bill of exceptions was filed and a new trial was ordered.

ANOTHER BREAK

SPLIT AMONG REPUBLICANS IN KENTUCKY.

COVINGTON, Ky., May 5.—Republicans of the 6th Kentucky congressional district held two conventions yesterday and elected two sets of delegates to the national convention at Chicago and two presidential electors, but both conventions nominated John R. Inglis for congress.

The convention headed by Richard P. Ernest, elected Ernest and J. M. McPherson as delegates and instructed them for Taft.

The other convention presided over by William H. Schwerman selected Harry Weittkamp and J. T. Earle, as delegates, but did not instruct them.

Each convention indorsed the administrations of President Roosevelt and Governor Willson.

MADAM GOULD

AND THE PRINCE ARE STILL IN ROME.

ROME, May 5—Madame Anna Gould and Prince De Sagan have not left Rome. They gave it out last night that they were about to depart from this city and they carried out the preliminaries of leaving so well that many people were deceived. They are still at the Grand hotel here and have not yet decided when they will go away.

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TWO MOTH MEN

Report to Exterminate the Brown Tails

"Who is boss" is the matter which is bothering a number of laborers in the employ of the town of Billerica as a result of the contest between Dolan and Conley and as one of the men stated: "It is pretty hard to tell which side of the bread the butter is on." Complication is following complication and it looks as though the matter would have to be ironed out in the courts.

Yesterday Conley and Dolan, both of whom claim to be superintendent of the work of exterminating the brown-tail and gypsy moths, appeared at the place where the work is going on and the gang of eleven men at work were asked who they considered their boss. "It was Mr. Dolan, yes, Mr. Dolan, for he's the greatest man they ever knew." The residents of the town are now awaiting the next move.

CRADLE ROLL

OF THE PRIMARY DEPARTMENT BROUGHT LARGE ATTENDANCE.

There was a large attendance of the children of the cradle roll, kindergarten and primary departments of the First Trinitarian Congregational Sunday school at the May party, which was held in the vestries of the church on Saturday, May 2d, from 2 to 5 p. m. There was also a large attendance of the mothers of the children. There were games under the direction of Miss Elsie M. Cragin, superintendent of the kindergarten, and entertainment by the children themselves and stories by Rev. George F. Kenngott and Rev. Sarah A. Dixon. The children sat down together at the tables in the primary room for their refreshments, the room being beautifully decorated with blossoms and flowers, while the mothers were together in the kindergarten room. Mrs. G. E. Ames, superintendent of the primary department, Miss Elsie M. Cragin, superintendent of the kindergarten and Mrs. G. M. Heath, president of the Maternal Association, were in charge of the arrangements. The Maternal Association will meet on Thursday at 3 p. m. to plan for a social for the "shut-ins" and members of the home department.

WOMAN HELD

ON CHARGE OF MURDERING HER CHILD.

TAUNTON, May 5.—Charged with the murder of her infant child, Adelaide B. Cleary was held for the grand jury without bail in the district court before Judge Fox yesterday morning.

Only two witnesses were examined, Medical Examiner Silas D. Presbey and Dr. Sylvina A. Abbott, who was called to the house by Mrs. Ward, Mrs. Cleary's mother.

Judge Fox said he felt it his duty to hold Mrs. Cleary for examination in a higher court. If it is claimed it was the act of no one but the mother, and the mental condition of the mother was to be the defence, he thought it was something which should be gone into in another court.

TOUGH SLEDDING

ATLANTIC LEAGUE LOOKS BAD AT START.

WOONSOCKET, R. I., May 5.—On account of lack of support the Woonsocket team of the Atlantic league left town today without playing the game with Portland which was scheduled, and it is thought unlikely that there will be any more league games here.

The opening game of the season was to have been played last Saturday, but as only 30 spectators turned out to view it, Woonsocket forfeited the game to Portland. The fact that the Atlantic league grounds are at a distance from the city and that the Woonsocket baseball public is deeply interested in the local mill league series contributed to the lack of support.

President Hugh McBreen of the Atlantic league telephoned from Boston today that the Woonsocket players would be withdrawn from the city pending a decision as to a transfer. He gave it as his opinion that the team would begin next Wednesday playing out-of-town games under the name of Woonsocket, and would continue until it was determined whether the team should be transferred or should return here.

LAWYER SIAS

WAS DISBARRED BY JUDGE SCHOFIELD.

BOSTON, May 5.—Charles B. Sias, of New York, but formerly of this city, where for 11 years he has been a member of the Suffolk bar, was yesterday disbarred by Judge Schofield of the superior court on petition of the bar association. June, 1904, Sias is alleged to have delivered to former Police Inspector Herbert E. Chapman $500 to influence corruptly Inspectors McGarr and Morrisey to testify falsely and to suppress testimony in disbarment proceedings against Preston B. Runyan.

BAILEY WINS

HE AND HIS ASSOCIATES ELECTED DELEGATES.

FORT WORTH, Tex., May 5.—Almost complete returns yesterday from the state democratic primaries held on Saturday give Senator J. W. Bailey and his associates on the ticket as delegates to the democratic national convention a majority of from 18,000 to 20,000 over the delegates headed by Cone Johnson. The total vote was 215,272.

SECOND DEGREE

LOCAL K. of C.'s WILL OFFICIATE AT NASHUA TONIGHT.

The second degree will be exemplified at Nashua council, Knights of Columbus, tonight by Grand Knight McNabb and staff of Lowell council. The male choir of Lowell council will also officiate and the local Knights will leave on a special car at 7 o'clock.

NORTH CHELMSFORD

Albert B. Metcalf and Joseph Hoyle of the Moore Spinning company sailed today on the Saxonia for a six weeks' trip to England, where they will visit relatives in Bradford.

CAMBRIDGE MAN

Murdered Annie Mullins the Police Say

MOTORMAN GAVE THE INFORMATION

That May Lead to Arrest Soon

BOSTON, May 5.—A new clew was found by the Arlington police yesterday in the Annie Mullins murder mystery, which establishes the fact that the slayer of the girl was a resident of Cambridge. The police say it looks so promising that an arrest is looked for soon.

The information was furnished by Motorman Michael J. Donnelly, who lives on Raymond street, Cambridge, and is connected with the North Cambridge division of the Boston Elevated company.

Donnelly told the authorities that on the evening of the tragedy, March 27, a young man rode with him on the front vestibule of his car from Porter's station to Shepard street, and spoke of an engagement with a young friend. He addressed Donnelly by name.

Donnelly gives a description which tallies closely to that of one of the suspects already interrogated.

Shepard street leads conveniently to Walker street, where is located the home of Prof. von Jagemann, where Miss Mullins was employed. Furthermore, the time closely tallies with that when Mrs. von Jagemann saw Annie talking with someone at the side door.

The police think the man who rode to Shepard street was the one who called on Annie Mullins, and that at the termination of a quarrel during a stroll he killed her in Squires field. The fact that the man knew Donnelly by name causes them to believe that he must have been a resident of the district and familiar with that and surrounding localities.

Another man was in the car vestibule who could vouch for Donnelly's story, and the police are anxious to locate him in the hope of getting a better description.

It was for the purpose of locating him, if possible, that Dist. Atty. Higgins decided yesterday to make public this latest bit of evidence.

Motorman Donnelly told his story for the first time at the latest session of the inquest held in Cambridge last Wednesday, but the district attorney did not agree to make it public until yesterday, following a conference with State Officer Byrnes, Inspector Hooley of the Arlington police and Judge Stone.

"Motorman Donnelly and Conductor T. B. Huce of 13 Meacham road, North Cambridge," said the district attorney, "were to start on a Dudley car from the North Cambridge car barn at 7.11 o'clock that evening. But as they were late on arriving, a 'set-back car' was sent out to meet them. This car was driven by Motorman J. B. Hennessey. When the 'set-back' car reached Rice street, the first stop from the car barn, it met the incoming car with Donnelly and Huce on it, and they transferred to take the car through to Dudley street on their next trip.

"In the vestibule of the car which they changed to was riding a man who must have got on shortly after the car left the car barn. This man was on the car when the young men boarded it at Porter station, to ride but a few blocks o Shepard street, and on that account the authorities would like to have him come forward

CHORAL SOCIETY

THE ANNUAL MEETING ON THURSDAY.

The annual meeting of the Lowell Choral Society for the election of officers and the transaction of other business will be held in Odd Fellows hall, Middlesex street, Thursday, May 7th, at 8 p. m. promptly. It is hoped that every member of the society will be present to hear the reports for the year an dto plan for the future. In addition to the members, all others who are interested in the work of the society are cordially invited to attend.

FOUND DEAD

WOMAN HAD PLACED GAS TUBE IN MOUTH.

BOSTON, May 5.—Mary C. Perkins, a widow, 35 years old, was found dead in her rooms at 862 Tremont street last night, having committed suicide by placing a gas tube in her mouth after turning the gas on. Her act is believed to have been caused by despondency and nervous trouble. She was employed as a housekeeper for William Ferris. Her body was taken to the city hospital morgue.

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THE DEMOCRATS

Will Hold Their State Convention Saturday

BOSTON, May 5.—The sub-committee of the executive committee of the democratic state committee last night decided to engage headquarters for the "night before" the convention at the Quincy House. There the democratic delegates who are interested in the proceedings of the state convention will meet on Wednesday evening. Those present at the meeting last night were Joseph P. Lomasney, the Hon. Thomas J. Collins and J. J. McCarthy.

No new developments have arisen that would tend to show that the Bryan and Williams men of the state will not control the convention absolutely.

There seems to be no discordant note as yet sounded against the convention policy of the Bryan and Williams aggregation.

It looks as though the convention Thursday would be slimly attended. It is thought that the so-called conservatives will not take a particularly active part, knowing that the convention will be controlled by Mr. Williams.

The slate for the four delegates at large is: George Fred Williams of Dedham, Dr. John W. Coughlin of Fall River, John B. Moran of Boston and Daniel F. Doherty of Westfield.

MADE ARREST

BOSTON WOMAN ACTED AS POLICEMAN.

BOSTON, May 5.—Mrs. Bertha Halfyard enacted the role of a police officer with entire success recently. Alone and unattended, she accosted a former lodger, Ralph H. Tracy, and took him to the Lagrange street station, where he was placed under arrest upon her complaint.

The "arrest" was made on crowded Washington street, in front of Keith's theatre, and the prisoner was marched to Boylston street, back to the Adams House and thence to the police station. Never once did a real policeman appear. However, it made no difference, as Mrs. Halfyard was equal to the emergency.

Yesterday morning Tracy was convicted in the municipal court and sentenced to one year on the Island. Judge Sullivan was amazed when he heard that no officer had been instrumental in effecting the arest of the prisoner, but he recovered sufficiently to pronounce sentence.

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GREEN SAYS HE PAID IT TO RUEF.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 5.—The prosecution in the trial of Abraham Ruef, charged with offering a bribe to Supervisor Jennings Phillips, in connection with a trolley franchise for the Parkside Realty company, dismissed indictments yesterday against W. I. Brobeck and G. H. Umbsen, who, with J. L. Green, were jointly indicted with Ruef in the Parkside case. Brobeck has already testified for the state and Umbsen will follow Green on the stand, for the state. Green, president of the Realty company, whose indictment was dismissed last week, testified yesterday to employing Ruef as attorney for a fee of $30,000 to get a trolley franchise from the board of supervisors, after other means to get the franchise had failed.

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THREE LIVES LOST

Storm of Tornado Velocity Raged Near St. Louis

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 5.—A thunder storm accompanied by wind of almost tornado velocity swept over this vicinity early today doing much damage and indirectly causing loss of life. A bridge on the Louisville and Nashville R. R. near Belleville, Ill., was washed out and caused the wreck of a freight train. The engineer, conductor and brakeman were caught under the engine and drowned. The train was piled up in a mass in a creek which was swollen into a torrent. The whole area of lowlands east of St. Louis, Illinois, and comprising 25 square miles of territory is under water.

French Village, a town of one thousand inhabitants, was struck by a miniature tornado and many houses were unroofed.

In St. Louis several residences were struck by lightning. No casualties were reported.

SHOWER OF SOOT

Greatly Annoyed People in Middlesex St.

There was a perfect shower of soot and cinders in Middlesex street yesterday afternoon. People who had occasion to pass along that street had difficulty keeping the dirt out of their eyes, and on the sidewalk there was a layer of black soot that covered the bricks and concrete. The soot and cinders came from one of the great corporation chimneys in that vicinity and the matter called forth protests from passersby.

FUNERALS

HOLMAN—The body of Mrs. Adeline Holman, who died in Clinton on May 1st, arrived in this city yesterday. Burial was in the Edson cemetery, with C. M. Young as the funeral director.

SULLIVAN—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Sullivan was held yesterday afternoon from the rooms of Undertaker Savage and burial was in the Catholic cemetery where Rev. Fr. Heffernan read the committal prayers at the grave. The bearers were John, Dennis, David and William Sullivan. Undertaker Savage had charge.

LOVERING—The funeral of Mr. Charles L. Lovering, late treasurer of the Massachusetts and Merrimack companies, was largely attended in Taunton yesterday afternoon, many being present from Boston and elsewhere who were his business associates. The local mills of the two corporations were shut down for a time at the hour fixed for the services, and the Merrimack bell was tolled. The mills at Lindale and Huntsville were closed, and in the former place the people of the town gathered in their three churches voluntarily and held memorial services for the man whom many of them had long revered and loved.

GERVAIS—The funeral of Adelard Gervais took place yesterday from his home in Marshall street, with solemn funeral services at St. Joseph's church. Rev. Fr. Baron, O. M. I., officiated, with Rev. Frs. Amyot and Ouellette, O. M. I., as deacon and sub-deacon. The choir sang the harmonized funeral mass under the direction of Frank Gordeau, with Joseph A. Bernard at the organ. At the offertory, Mr. Jas. E. Donnelly sang "Jesu Salvatore Mundi," and Miss Blanche Dextra sang "O Meritum Passionis" at the elevation and "O Christe" at communion.

The bearers were Hormisdas and Oscar Gervais, sons of the deceased; Joseph and Hormisdas Gervais, his brothers; Albert Boucher and Clement Bastien. Among the floral tributes were a spray from Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Daigneault; a wreath from Miss Mary Bastien and a wreath on base from the employes of Hormisdas Gervais & Co. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery and Rev. Fr. Ouellette, O. M. I., officiated at the grave. Undertaaker Amedee Archambault had charge.

SUSPENDER FIRM

MOVES ITS PLANT FROM LOWELL TO CHELSEA.

The firm of T. Martin Bros. Mfg. Co., manufacturers of suspender webs with plants in Cambridge and Fletcher streets is removing its plant from Lowell to Chelsea where its main establishment is located. Fortunately its Chelsea plant was one of the few places in the ruined city that escaped the flames and the firm claims that it can make a big saving by centralizing its different plants. Most of the help who are residents of this city will accompany their employers to Chelsea.

UNITED STATES

NAMES MEMBERS FOR TRADE AGREEMENT COMMISSION.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—James B. Reynolds, assistant secretary of the treasury, Edward Schaefer of the department of the treasury, and Morris Jacobs of the department of commerce and labor, were today appointed members of a commission on the part of the United States to consider a report on possible amendments of existing trade regulations between France and the United States. This commission was appointed in accordance with the Franco-American reciprocity treaty signed by Secy Root and Ambassador Jusserand. The argument provides also for the appointment of a similar committee by France.

SECRETARY TAFT

Will Find Trouble at the Canal

CARTHAGENA, Colombia, May 5.—The government of Colombia has reason to believe that the government at Panama is intriguing with Venezuela to declare war upon this country.

It is known that the occupation of Jurado, which is on the Atrato River, the boundary line between Panama and Colombia, has angered the Panama government. The occupation of Jurado was done on the advice of the American government, which held that it was clearly within Colombian territory. The attitude of the government of Panama has given the United States a good deal of solicitude.

One of Secretary Taft's chief missions to Panama is to try to adjust the matter. It is believed that the American government is aware of the effort of Panama to induce Venezuela to make war upon Colombia.

Passengers who have just arrived in New York from Colombia bring news of the presence of President Reyes at Santa Marta, a Colombian seaport over toward the Venezuela frontier line. His presence at Santa Marta is said to be connected with the Jurado incident—the occupation of this little town claimed by both Colombia and Panama and recently occupied by Colombian troops—and with the approaching visit of Secretary of War Taft.

Two boundary disputes enter into the situation that appears to be developing on the southern shore of the Caribbean. Castro wants a strip of Colombian territory on the east, and Panama is seeking to despoil Colombia, of which republic she was a state before the successful revolution of 1903, of certain territory along the Atrato River, which includes the town of Jurado.

Panama, it is declared, would like to embroil Colombia with Venezuela on the eastern frontier, as such an outcome would give her a better chance to force her claim for territorial extension on the western frontier. Venezuela and Colombia have fought over this boundary line before, and should the matter come again to conflict a Venezuelan invasion might be expected. It is believed that General Reyes is at Santa Marta for the purpose of inaugurating preparations to resist any such development.

SAVAGE DOG

ATTACKED A POLICE OFFICER IN NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, May 5.—Policeman John W. Whalen, of the Macdougal street station was attacked by a huge dog in Hancock street yesterday afternoon and bitten so badly that he had to be cared for by surgeons.

The dog was asleep in front of No. 4 Hancock street. The policeman, attempting to step over the brute, roused it, and it sprang at him. Whalen put out his left hand to ward it off, and the dog sank its fangs into his wrist, tearing the flesh so badly that he almost fainted. Before he recovered from his surprise the animal jumped for his throat, threw him to the ground and snapped savagely at his face.

Two Italians ran up, seized the dog by the hind legs and threw it over their shoulders. Then the animal ran. Whalen had reached for his gun, but a crowd of children was standing around and he was afraid to shoot for fear of hurting somebody.

Dr. O'Connell, of St. Vincent's hospital, was called, and Whalen was taken to that institution. It was found that his face and wrist were so badly injured that twenty stitches in all had to be taken.

The surgeons fear that the dog may have had hydrophobia and extreme caution was used in dressing the man's injuries. The patient was turned over to Dr. Johnson, police surgeon, on leave of absence for sickness.

HEAVY DAMAGE

BUSINESS DISTRICT OF WALKERTON DESTROYED.

SOUTH BEND, Ind., May 5.—The business district of Walkerton, 15 miles southeast of South Bend, was burned today. The loss is $100,000, partly covered by insurance.

GOV. GUILD

ENJOYED A RIDE THROUGH BACK BAY FENS.

BOSTON, May 5.—Gov. Guild had his second outing today since his sickness, his carriage taking him through the Back Bay fens for about an hour.

The governor will go to his summer residence at Nahant on Tuesday next if the weather permits and his condition continues to improve.

HUSBAND SLAIN

Such is Belief of His Wife

NEW YORK, May 5.—Former Congressman John Hardy, attorney for the widow of John P. Heins, whose body was found in the Central Park reservoir and whose death still remains a mystery, stated last night that today he would demand an autopsy.

"Nothing can make me believe that Mr. Heins committed suicide," said Hardy. "He had been in poor health, but he lived happily with his wife and two children. He was worth close to $50,000. An autopsy will show whether he was drugged.

"Two or three days after Mr. Heins disappeared, Mrs. Heins was visited by a man who informed her that in his opinion her husband was dead and that his body was in Central Park reservoir. I have that man's name and I will talk more freely after an autopsy."

Coroner's Physician Lehane yesterday found that Heins had a fractured skull. There was an ugly wound over the right eye which resembled a bullet wound. Dr. Lehane said he thought Heins had been hit with a rock. "Death," said Dr. Lehane, "probably was caused by submersion."

Detectives are working on the theory that Heins was lured to Central park, kidnapped and held a captive in the hope that the wife would pay $1,000 as a ransom. The letter she received three weeks after Heins vanished reads:

"Before you read this letter see that nobody is with you. Because we can't get anything out of your husband we will have to get back at you. You mustn't have any fear about him. He is all right. We are keeping him out of town. Three weeks ago we had a date with him in Central park. He then showed fight and we were compelled to overpower him. He doesn't want to buy himself free, and if you do not get him back we will make him quiet.

"We will send a mesenger to No. 32 Second avenue tomorrow evening and to him you must give $1,000 and your jewels. The messenger boy will be waiting for you. Don't tell the police or you will feel sorry.

"Black Hand."

Dr. Lehane said that he had been informed by a friend of Heins that Heins often had threatened to kill himself by jumping into the reservoir.

Mrs. Heins is sure her husband met with foul play.

Lawyer Hardy states that Heins purchased a saloon a few weeks before he disappeared for $6,900 and had presented a check for $7,000. The check was drawn on the Fidelity bank. According to Hardy, there was trouble between Heins and the persons from whom he bought the saloon. An action was brought and a verdict against Heins returned.

$15,000 DAMAGE

Another Destructive Fire in Milford

MILFORD, May 5.—Another fire, one of several within a few months, visited this town today, the Coolidge block on Main street and its contents being damaged to the extent of $15,000 with partial insurance. The principal loss falls on James J. O'Neil, the contents of whose grocery store was entirely destroyed. The fire started from an unknown cause in the rear of the O'Neil store, near some kerosene barrels. The damage to the other occupants of the block which is a three story brick building is mostly from smoke and water.

A fire was discovered last night in a pile of papers on the second floor of the same block in the office of the Milford Daily News but was extinguished by employes without much damage.

The local authorities and the state police who have been conducting an active investigation into the numerous fires which have occurred here recently, at once began an examination of the circumstances surrounding today's blaze. It is believed that many of the fires have been of incendiary origin.

THE AMENDMENTS

TO ANTI-TRUST LAWS OPPOSED BY DAVENPORT.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—The hearing before the senate committee on judiciary on bills to amend the Sherman anti-trust laws was resumed today, Daniel Davenport of Bridgeport, Conn., being heard. He declared that if the present law was amended so as to apply to combinations which are in "unreasonable" restraint of trade, the amendment would impair the whole purpose of the law as there would be no standard to determine whether the restraint was unreasonable. He said that such legislation would make the corporation immune from prosecution and exempt them from practically every regulation provided by the Sherman law.

FOREST FIRE

THREATENED THE TOWN OF KINGSTON.

KINGSTON, Me., May 5.—A brisk forest fire threatened the town of Kingston for a time today but was finally extinguished before the flames had communicated to any buildings. The fire is believed to have been caused by a spark from a locomotive and started in a tract of pine woods, about a quarter of a mile from the town. The blaze crept towards the town and the streets were filled with smoke. Prompt action on the part of the local firemen checked the flames after they had burned over several acres.

F. W. MILLS
Banker and Broker
Room 33, Hildreth Building

INTERPRETER LOST

Court Thought He Was Interested in Case

Manuel Vellozo, who conducts a boarding house at 504 Central street, was in court this morning charged with illegally keeping liquor, the seizure having been made Sunday by Inspectors Atkinson and Dwyer.

As the witnesses for the defense were foreigners and unable to speak the English language, it was necessary to press an interpreter into service. Considerable difficulty was found in getting an interpreter, but finally a person who said he was disinterested, was sworn. The interpreter was getting along fairly well until he started answering questions without asking the witness, and the court finally caught him in a box.

It was found that he was an interested party and a frequenter of the house where the liquor was found.

Inspector Atkinson said he visited Vellozo's premises at 504 Central street last Sunday noon. He had a search warrant and entering the house with Inspector Dwyer saw the defendant. In one room was a table and six chairs. In a sink in the room was a pan partly filled with water. There were glasses in the pan, a couple of the glasses having ale froth on them. There were two men in the room at the time.

"I went over to a closet and opening the door a man rushed out. Said Inspector Atkinson, "I shouted to Inspector Dwyer to stop him, and he did so. In the closet I found an eight gallon keg of ale on tap, a large pitcher containing about a quart of ale, a case containing twenty bottles of ale and two empty bottles.

"In another room was found a case of ale under a bed and in the proprietor's bedroom under the bed was a full case of ale."

Inspector Dwyer corroborated the testimony given by the previous witness.

Patrolman Hersey went to the house a couple of weeks ago and found forty men there. Each man had a bottle in his hand. They said that they were celebrating the boss' birthday.

James Fratus, who rooms at the house in question, said that the case of beer found under the bed in his room did not belong to him. Vellozo asked him if he could put the beer under his bed, and he gave his consent. Witness said that Vellozo asked him Sunday and Monday to go down to the police station and claim the beer.

Fratus said that Vellozo sold the beer and when asked as to how he knew, witness said the proprietor of the house sold him three bottles, for which he paid a quarter. The alleged transaction took place a week ago Sunday.

James Francisco was the first witness for the defense. He lives with the defendant at 504 Central street and said one of the cases of beer found by the officers belonged to him. He bought it so that he would have plenty to drink during the week. He said that the case that belonged to him was the one found in the room occupied by Fratus. Witness was not in the house when the beer arrived and that was the reason the case was put in the room occupied by Fratus.

At this point the interpreter was told to ask witness the following question: "What kind of beer was in the case?"

"Harvard," was the answer given by the interpreter without consulting the witness.

"How do you know?" shouted Deputy Welch to the interpreter.

"Well, I don't know."

"Why did you say Harvard without asking the question?" queried Judge Hadley.

"Well, it was just a slip of the tongue," said the interpreter.

"Yes, I guess you have made a number of slips of the tongue," retorted the deputy.

"Do you live at 504 Central street?" continued the deputy.

"No."

"Do you visit that house?"

"Yes."

"And know the people?"

"Yes."

"Well, we do not want you as an interpreter," said Judge Hadley. "Get some disinterested person."

As it was after twelve o'clock at this time, it was decided to take a recess and continue the case in the afternoon.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The afternoon session opened shortly after two o'clock with a new interpreter present.

Jeremiah McGlinchey, a Gorham street liquor dealer, testified that he sold three cases of beer to three Portuguese last Saturday. The beer was delivered at 504 Central street and was paid for by three different persons. Witness said he was not allowed to sell more than one case to one individual. He knew nothing about the keg of ale as he is not allowed to sell kegs now.

Manuel Silva, who resides at 504 Central street, said he bought a keg of beer last Saturday and brought it to the house in order that he might treat his friends. Vellozo had nothing to do with the beer. Witness was out of work for a long time and after securing a position he offered the boss who gave him the job some money but the latter refused to take any money, whereupon witness decided to give the boss a good time and he bought the keg for which he paid $2.

"Where did you get the faucet in the keg?" asked Deputy Welch.

"From the old country," said witness.

"Do you mean to say that you got that faucet in the old country and brought it over here?"

"Yes, I paid two dollars for it in the old country."

"You didn't bring a keg over with you, did you?"

"No, all I brought was the faucet and a little whiskey."

Samuel Corriere was called and testified that Silva asked him to buy a keg of beer. Witness said he helped Silva carry the keg home. Corriere said that he got a job for Silva and the latter offered to pay him but he would not take the money. Silva then told witness that there was a treat in store for him as soon as he got his pay.

After the case had proceeded for about half an hour it was found that the defendant was not in the court room. Col. Carmichael said that he thought the defendant was sitting on the bench in the court room as they all looked alike to him. A messenger was despatched to make a search for Vallozo.

THE PLUM BOY

IS ONCE MORE THREATENED BY KIDNAPPERS.

NEW YORK, May 5.—Threats to kidnap eight-year-old William T. Plum, Jr., grandson of former Judge Gottfried Krueger, the millionaire brewer of Newark, were received yesterday by Mrs. William T. Plum, the lad's mother, wife of a prominent Newark realty broker. The letter is a crudely written Black Hand missive, and Mrs. Plum is prostrated at her home, No. 600 High street.

The threats follow the sensational letters of last month, which resulted in the arrest, after a sensational fight with the police, of William Freeman, Judge Krueger's negro butler, and Jennie Allen, a negress.

The latest threatening letters demand a heavy sum to prevent the kidnapping of the boy. The police say that in one of the letters is the sentence, "We won't be fooled the way Freeman was. Look out for your boy if you don't pay the money." Judge Krueger admitted last night the receipt by Mrs. Plum of new letters.

Freeman is in the Essex county jail, charged with blackmail and attempted kidnapping. He will be arraigned tomorrow, and the police believe that a band of which he is a member sent the new letters, largely to so intimidate the boy's parents that they will not give damaging testimony against the prisoners.

The boy is closely guarded. He has not been allowed to go out alone since the receipt of the first threatening letters, in early April.

In the first threats Mrs. Plum was terrified by the demand for $5000 on pain of kidnapping her son, blowing up her home and killing both her husband and herself. These letters directed that $5000 be left in the cleft of a tree at High and Court streets, Newark, directly across from the Plum residence and diagonally across from the Krueger home.

At the time of Freeman's arrest, Captain Carroll, of the Newark detective bureau, gave it as his opinion that Freeman was merely a tool for more cunning men, who plotted to bleed the Plum family and Judge Krueger.

THE PRESIDENT

MEETS MEMBERS OF NEW YORK AMERICAN LEAGUE.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—Clark Griffith introduced the New York American league baseball team to President Roosevelt today. The president talked for some time with the members of the team observing that his son Quentin was an enthusiastic baseball player, belonging to the same team with Charlie Taft, a son of Secretary Taft. The president said that Quentin kept the averages of all the leading ball players.

PRES. ROOSEVELT

FAVORS THE POSTAL SAVINGS BANK BILL.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—President Roosevelt today expressed to Senator Carter of the senate committee on postoffices and postroads his earnest desire to see a postal savings bank bill become law at this session.

THE POLICE

ARE KEEPING CLOSE WATCH ON PRINCE EULENBERG.

BERLIN, May 5.—Members of the criminal police force have been picketed around the castle at Liebenberg of Prince Philip zu Eulenburg. This is done as a precaution against the prince's attempting to leave the country during the preliminary investigation by the crown prosecutor of the allegation that the prince gave false testimony during the recent Harden trial in Berlin, when charges of a serious nature were brought against several prominent German officials. Liebenburg is about forty miles from Berlin.

That the prosecutor took up the investigation, at all is being referred to by the newspapers as a serious matter. Prince zu Eulenburg, who lives in almost feudal style, is ill of neuritis. Physicians delegated to examine him by the government affirm that he is unable to travel, yet a dozen plain clothes men watch the exits of the castle grounds day and night.

Prince zu Eulenburg received a judicial commission during its recent visit to his bedside with the utmost courtesy. He offered the commission the fullest facilities for its investigation and replied to its questions clearly and without hesitation.

TWO INJURED

B. & O. TRAIN RAN INTO A WASHOUT.

SEYMOUR, Ind., May 5.—The eastbound train on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad ran into a washout near Sparksville, near here today, the engine, mail, express and baggage cars going down an embankment. The engineer and fireman were badly hurt. None of the passengers was injured.

BOSTON COPPER MARKET.

BOSTON, May 5.—The strength of yesterday's copper market continued here today although trading for the first two hours was only moderate. Copper Range was again the feature, advancing to 70½.

FORESTERS PROTEST

Appeal to Mayor Farnham for Right to Parade

A delegation from the Catholic Order of Foresters called at the city hall today to confer with Mayor Farnham relative to the attitude of the superintendent of police in respect to the parade which is to be held on Sunday May 31, in observance of the 25th anniversary.

Mr. Moffatt objected to the granting of a license for the parade and threatened, it is alleged, to prosecute the band that would head the parade should it take place.

It is putting it very mildly to say that the Foresters are incensed because of Mr. Moffatt's attitude. It is the French courts of the order that are particularly interested in the observance and they are going to have it out with Mr. Moffatt.

The result of the conference with the mayor this morning was not made public. It was stated, however, that the mayor said he would look into the matter and confer with the city solicitor and the superintendent of police.

Once upon a time Mr. Moffatt asked City Solicitor Hill's opinion as to his, the superintendent's rights, in allowing parades with bands, and the city solicitor said he could not find any law authorizing the superintendent so to do. This, however, was but a verbal opinion.

The fact remains that Lowell like other cities has had her parades and will continue to have them despite any objections that may emanate from the headquarters of the superintendent of police, who was spoken of today as the "czar of Lowell."

Every Forester in Lowell, regardless of nationality, is in sympathy with the courts that are preparing for the observance, and they do not go behind the door to say things about Mr. Moffatt's objections.

One of the delegation to call at the city hall this forenoon spoke right out and said that it looked like unjust discrimination on the part of Mr. Moffatt. "We will sift this thing to the bottom," he said. "It would seem that Mr. Moffatt is assuming a great deal of authority and we are going to find out where we are at. Lowell has had a number of very fine parades and no objections were ever offered. A parade is a lively feature, but perhaps Mr. Moffatt wants to kill all the lively features so as to make it easy for himself and his officers.

"We will know what this means before we get through, and don't you forget it. This is an outrage and we will not stand for it."

City Solicitor Hill said today that it was not necessary for the Foresters or any other body of people contemplating a parade to go to Supt. Moffatt as he has not the authority to grant a permit or to withhold it. Mr. Hill says that the Foresters can go ahead and parade, having in mind the fact that should they block the street and seriously impede traffic they would be responsible to the police.

This version of the affair simplifies matters very much and representative Foresters said they would go ahead with the parade and they allowed there wouldn't be any blocking of streets. As to prosecuting a band for breaking the Sunday laws, that is looked upon as poppy corn.

The Foresters planned to have 1000 members of the order in town, and the observance program arranged was to be of a religious type. From Associate hall, the Foresters intended to march through Merrimack street to St. Jean Baptiste church, headed by a band from Manchester, N. H. Chief Marshal Michael Buot of the proposed parade went to Supt. Moffatt last week, and requested permission for the appearance of the band in the streets, and was surprised when informed that such permission would be refused.

The parade and general observance planned for Sunday, May 31, means a great deal to the French Catholic Foresters in Lowell. It means not only the observance of the 25th anniversary of the order, but the 40th anniversary of St. Joseph's church and the golden jubilee of Rev. Fr. Lefebvre, O. M. I., as well.

KENNEDY FREE

Not Guilty of Assault and Battery

THE CASE HEARD IN COURT TODAY

Testimony of Witnesses Caused Merriment

The case of Patrick Kennedy, charged with drunkenness and assault and battery on Matthew Coupe, which was aired in police court this morning proved to be highly entertaining from a spectator's standpoint.

Coupe was the first witness called and he testified in part as follows: "I own a house at 176 Church street where Kennedy has been living and last Saturday morning about nine o'clock I went down to see if he had moved out. I was outside the door and had no intention of going in when he stuck his head through the window and said: 'Come up here, Mr. Coupe. I want to see you.' I went up and I had no sooner entered the house than he rushed at me and said he was going to kill me. He didn't though.

"He ups with a half a paving block, weighing between 12 and 15 pounds and when I saw him grab that I started to run, and he after me, but he could not catch me because the paving stone was too heavy for him to run fast. I ran a piece up Lawrence street and when I found he had stopped chasing me I returned to the building and he chased me again.

"Was he drunk?" asked Deputy Welch.

"He was not sober."

"Then he must have been drunk?"

"Well he knew what he was doing."

Cross-examined by Lawyer James Stuart Murphy, witness said that there was a moving team in the street and when he entered the house there was nothing in it but the piece of paving block. Witness said he did not go to the house for rent for he said he knew he would not get it. He went there to see if they had moved out.

Mr. Coupe used the word "sure" frequently and Judge Hadley said: "What do you mean by 'sure?' Do you mean 'yes?'"

"Sure—er yes," responded witness.

Continuing witness said: "Kennedy gave me several taps on the nose, he was angry, mad, furious and jumped at me. I did not strike him at all. I didn't run until he came at me with the paving block. Wouldn't you run?"

"Did you yell?" asked Mr. Murphy.

"No, I didn't yell."

"You weren't holding him with your teeth?"

"No, I don't fight."

"Your life was saved by assistance coming?"

"Yes, Pat Foley saved my life. When he picked up the paving block he said he would knock my block off."

"You ran?"

"You let your life?"

"You know what the block was used for?"

"For keeping a door open."

"It is a small block?"

"If you got it in your head you would think so."

Patrick Foley was then called and testified that he saw Kennedy with a stone in his hand chasing Coupe.

Patrolman Dan Lane who arrested Kennedy said he was drunk and had a razor in his pocket.

The defendant, Kennedy, was then called and testified. "I lived in the tenement owned by Coupe for about seven months. I paid the rent up to about four or five weeks ago when I was taken sick and then got in arrears, and he ordered me out on Wednesday.

"Saturday morning he came around; we were moving and everything had been taken out of the house with the exception of my razor and a few mats. I was shaving when he came in. I didn't call him in. He started to swear at me and call me vile names. He said he would kick the stuffings out of me and I told him I would not let him. He hit me on the nose and then I clinched with him in order to protect myself.

"He entered the house like a roaring lion. After we had the scuffle he peered through the window and called me more vile names and I picked up the paving stone and threw it into the street. Then I went out and got the stone. He came back again and I threw the stone at him again."

Cross-examined witness said he had but three glasses of beer that morning and that the beer and the excitement caused by Coupe might have affected him.

Mrs. Kennedy corroborated the testimony offered by her husband and said that while her husband's back was turned Coupe picked up an empty catsup bottle and was about to strike him when she grabbed the bottle out of Coupe's hand. She saw Coupe hit her husband on the forehead and cheek and kick him in the stomach. Then she shouted for help.

During the cross-examination of Mrs. Kennedy, Deputy Welch and Lawyer Murphy got into an argument which came to an end when Judge Hadley asked Mr. Murphy if he was through with his monologue.

At the conclusion of the case Judge Hadley found the defendant not guilty on the assault case and ordered the case of drunkenness on file. He said the man would not have been arrested for drunkenness if it had not been for the other trouble.

He said that if a man wants to eject a tenant let him do it in a proper manner and not insult people.

FINED FOR TRESPASSING.

William P. Toner was charged with trespassing on the property of the Boston & Northern Street Railway Co. He pleaded guilty and was fined $3. Toner with several other young men were on the premises about the power house in Middlesex street and despite the fact that there were several signs in conspicuous places, forbidding trespassing, they paid no attention to them. When the officer gave them chase they thumbed their noses at him, but he succeeded in getting Toner.

$3 FOR DRUNKENNESS.

Adam Wedera was charged with two offenses of drunkenness, one on Sunday and the second yesterday. He said he was guilty yesterday but not Sunday.

Wedera was arrested by Patrolman William Giroux Sunday morning and sent to the police station. Later in the day he was bailed and was told to appear in court yesterday morning. When he entered the court yesterday he was traveling in such a zig-zag manner that he was placed under arrest and locked up until this morning. He was fined $3 for being drunk on Sunday, yesterday's case being placed on file.

SENT TO STATE FARM.

It was John J. Smith's 42d appearance and his fourth within a year. State farm for him.

William F. Stoneham was three sby of Smith, it having been the former's 33th appearance. He will accompany Smith to the state farm.

Michael McGrath, a parole man, will be returned to Bridgewater.

There was one first offender, who was taxed the usual $2.

THE Y. M. C. I.

TO HAVE ENTERTAINMENT FOR DAY NURSERY TONIGHT.

The Y. M. C. I. tonight will put on a fine entertainment at Associate hall for the benefit of the Day Nursery. The reputation of the Y. M. C. I. is a guarantee of success. The program will include a one act sketch of 45 minutes to be followed by dancing. There will also be musical features of a high order and all who attend will go away satisfied.

BADLY BEATEN

Winn's Woozy Wonders Wofully Walloped

HAVERHILL, May 5.—Haverhill won easily from Lowell, 11 to 1, in yesterday's game. The visitors were forced to use three pitchers, Warner being removed after the fifth inning, while Dam lasted but one inning, the last four being pitched by Silcox. Perkins' home run on a centerfield hit was the first of the season. The score:

HAVERHILL.

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Billet, lf	4	2	1	1	0	0
Barton, 2b	4	1	0	2	4	0
Hamilton, cf	4	2	3	0	0	0
Boardman, 3b	5	2	3	0	3	0
Courtney, rf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Uniac, ss	3	2	2	1	0	0
Collins, 1b	3	1	0	14	1	0
Perkins, c	5	1	3	7	1	0
Girard, p	1	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	36	11	13	27	12	0

LOWELL.

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Rhoddy, 1b	2	0	0	7	1	0
Wolfe, 2b	3	0	0	2	2	0
Howard, c	1	0	1	2	0	0
Duff, rf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Shannon, ss	3	0	0	0	3	1
Cotter, lf	4	0	1	4	0	0
Duggan, c	3	0	0	3	1	0
McLane, c	0	0	0	2	0	0
Harris, 3b	3	0	2	2	1	0
Warner, p	1	0	0	0	1	1
Dam, p	1	0	0	0	1	1
Silcox, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	28	1	5	21	10	3

Haverhill	1	1	1	3	4	0	0	1	—11
Lowell	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	—1

Two base hits—Hamilton 2, Cotter, Uniac, Perkins, Harris. Home run—Perkins. Hits—Off Warner 11 in 5 innings; off Dam 3 in 1 inning; off Silcox 1 in 3 innings. Sacrifice hits—Rhoddy, Shannon, Barton, Uniac. Stolen bases—Boardman. Double play—Boardman, Barton and Collins. Left on bases—Haverhill 9, Lowell 5. First on balls—Off Girard 2, off Warner 2, off Dam 2. Hit by pitchers—Wolfe, Courtney and Collins. Struck out—By Girard 5, by Warner 1, by Dam 1. Passed ball—Perkins. Wild pitch Silcox. Time—1.58. Umpire—Joseph O'Brien.

DIAMOND NOTES

Haverhill plays here today.

President Winn still has his hooks but for new players. He took up Dam in Haverhill yesterday after letting him go last year.

Hennessy, a promising North Billerica player, is slated for a try-out with the Lowell team.

Already some of the fans are picking winners for the season. As yet none has selected Lowell to do the thing. Manager Daley banks on getting in the first division.

President Winn by looking over the players in the local Catholic league might find some good material.

The Atlantic league is having a most discouraging opening.

Brooklyn has decided to hold on to Simmy Murch and hence Brockton will be without a first baseman. Klobedanz will officiate.

The following has been going the rounds of the baseball columns:

Umpire "Silk" O'Loughlin made a ruling in Wednesday's game at Detroit which practically puts the squeeze play out of existence. When Dougherty started to steal home in the third inning Siever was standing on the rubber ready to deliver the ball to the plate, and as soon as Pat started in Payne ran up in front of Davis and caught the ball, preventing George taking a swing at it.

Fielder Jones declared he had been interfered with, but O'Loughlin's ruling was that as long as Siever had not started to wind up his delivery he had a right to throw the ball to the plate to stop a runner, the same as he had to throw to first or any other base.

Rule 31 of the playing rules describes a fair ball as any ball delivered to the plate while the catcher is standing on the rubber and the ball is over the plate. Any fairly delivered ball must be called a strike. An unfairly delivered ball is a ball that is delivered to plate which does not come over the plate, and the umpire must call it a ball.

Manager Jones declared that any ball delivered while the pitcher is standing on the rubber is either a ball or a strike, and that the catcher is has no right to run up on the batter and prevent him taking a swing. According to the rules made by O'Loughlin the squeeze play is practically killed, because the runner might start before the pitcher winds up, although he is on the rubber ready to deliver the ball.

Umpire O'Loughlin's decision does not necessarily stop the squeeze play. On the contrary, it points out the only way to make it safe. The runner should not start for home until the pitcher starts to wind up, then the play can be made right.

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Cleveland	9	6	60.0
Philadelphia	11	7	58.3
New York	9	7	56.2
St. Louis	9	8	52.9
Chicago	8	8	50.0
Boston	7	10	41.2
Washington	7	10	41.2
Detroit	5	9	35.7

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS

At Washington—New York 11, Washington 5.

At Philadelphia—Philadelphia 3, Boston 2.

At St. Louis—Detroit 1, St. Louis 0. (Called end of seventh inning—Rain.)

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Chicago	11	3	78.6
Pittsburg	8	4	66.7
New York	9	7	56.2
Boston	9	8	52.9
Philadelphia	8	8	50.0
Cincinnati	5	7	41.7
Brooklyn	7	10	41.2
St. Louis	3	13	18.8

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Boston—Boston 6, Brooklyn 2.

At New York—New York 12, Philadelphia 2.

At Chicago—St. Louis-Chicago, postponed, rain.

At Cincinnati—Cincinnati-Pittsburg game postponed, rain.

NEW ENGLAND STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Lynn	2	0	1.000
Brockton	2	1	1.000
Haverhill	2	1	1.000
Worcester	1	2	.333
Lawrence	1	2	.333
Fall River	1	2	.333
New Bedford	1	2	.333
Lowell	0	3	.000

NEW ENGLAND LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Haverhill—Haverhill 11, Lowell 1.

At New Bedford—New Bedford 4, Worcester 3.

At Fall River—Brockton 7, Fall River 0.

At Lynn—Lynn 5, Lawrence 1.

GAMES TODAY.

(N. E. League.)

Haverhill at Lowell.
Lynn at Lawrence.
Worcester at New Bedford.
Brockton at Fall River.

(American League.)

Boston at Philadelphia.
New York at Washington.
Cleveland at Chicago.
Detroit at St. Louis.

(National League.)

Brooklyn at Boston.
Philadelphia at New York.
Chicago at Pittsburg.

BASEBALL NOTES

The New York Nationals have lost three games in succession. That may not happen again all season.

Were we a ball player inclined toward eccentricity we think we would rather be a "Tacks" than a "Bugs."

In Washington they say Niles fits far much better in the Highlander infield than did Jimmy Williams. There is no doubt that Niles has been a valuable man for Griffith's team.

"Always play your game if you possibly can; never postpone unless it is absolutely necessary," was a piece of advice once given by Harry Wright to Bill Shettsline of the Phillies.

"The Browns and the Naps are the hardest teams in the league to beat just now," says a Chicagoan. How the deuce he knows that before having stacked up against the eastern teams passes comprehension.

Within the last few years there has been a tendency toward the garish in baseball uniforms. There's too much insignia and curlicue business. The only really artistic diamond apparel brought out in recent seasons was that of the Pittsburg club.

TUBERCULOSIS CAMP

Was Opened Last Night for the Season

The tuberculosis camp at the Lowell General hospital was opened yesterday and twenty patients slept there last night. The camp is large enough to accommodate twenty-eight patients and twenty is looked upon as a big opening.

The first year that the camp opened there were but five patients on the opening day and last year there were seven enrolled on the opening day. Two more patients are expected within a few days and then there will be room for but six more.

Four of the patients who reported yesterday are young women and they occupy the shack erected by contributions from the Young Women's Guild of the city. The shack was built and furnished by members of the organization and is quite comfortably located and furnished.

AMATEUR BASEBALL

Well, well, well. Here we are again, the Concord Hillsides. Our lineup: Truck-horse O'Neil, c; Dope Merritt, p; Ruhe McComb, 1b; Ligger McGeever, 2b; Soup Quinlan, ss; Mickie Concannen, 3b; Lobster Higgins, lf; Braggs Carlin, cf; Pea Soup Soucier, rf. Pat O'Neil shags the ball if it goes past the fielders. We made Baby Merritt mascot to keep him from crying. Motorman Carlin licks the sweat off the bats. We challenge any team under 11.

The Sacred Heart Holy Name society baseball team will play its first game next Saturday.

Next Saturday afternoon the Bancrofts will lineup against the Harrimans for the second game of the series. The first game which was played a week ago was won by the Bancrofts.

The Autumns defeated the Groves Saturday in a very interesting contest.

Jack Mangan was the big noise at the Sacred Heart Holy Name society try-out Saturday.

The Young Champions defeated the Spauldings again Saturday by the score of 9 to 4, in an interesting game. Owing to the rain the game was interrupted at various points. Last week we defeated the Spauldings by the score of 7 to 5. Sam Bernstein, our swell-headed pitcher said he won the game for us and got swell-headed and left the team, thinking he was the best pitcher we could get. He is now playing with the Young Rockdales, aged 10. With our own pitcher we won the game easier than with him pitching. We are one of the strongest teams in the city for 11 year olds. Send all challenges through this paper.

The Patriot Jrs. would like to challenge any team under 12 years old. The lineup is as follows: Symond, p; Jarrett, c; King, 1b; Gillis, 2b; Quinn, 3b; McElroy, ss; Kennedy, lf; Sullivan, cf; Carney, rf. Send all challenges to John King, 39 Pleasant street, or to Fred Gillis, 32 Concord st.

The Edson Jrs. would like to challenge any team under 13 years of age. Our lineup is as follows: F. Tighe, c; W. Watson, p; W. Carroll, 1b; J. O'Grady, ss; F. Hickory, 2b; J. McNulty, 3b; J. O'Dea, lf; L. West, cf; P. Rene, rf. Send all challenges to W. Watson, 136 South street.

The Albion Blues would like a game with the Young Dragon A. C. for May 9. They would like to play any team under 13 years. Our lineup is as follows: L. F. Jordan, c; J. Quinn, p; L. Gallagher, 1b; J. Bowen, 2b; W. McCarty, ss; J. Woods, 3b; T. Burke, lf; W. Cavway, cf; J. Welch, rf. Send all challenges to J. Woods, 24 Jewett st.

The Warrens defeated the Alpines Saturday in the third game of a series by a score of 26 to 2. By winning Saturday the Warrens claim this series having won two of the three games played.

The Warrens will play any team in or out of the city at 16 years of age.

The lineup of Warrens is Socks c, Robitaille p, Fahey 1b, Finnerty 2b, Patten & Rostie ss, Breakey 3b; Douglas lf, Preston cf, Hickey, rf. Send all challenges through the Sun.

The Bunker Blues would like to challenge any team in the city under 8 years old. The lineup: T. Shepard c, F. McGowan p, L. McGowan 1b, J. Shepard 2b, W. Higgins ss, A. Beatincourt 3b, W. Fletcher rf, L. Smith cf, J. Smith lf, L. McGowan, capt., J. Shepard, manager. Send all challenges through this paper.

The Pilgrims would like to challenge any team in the city under fourteen years of age. We would like to hear from Mystery Juniors, who claim the championship of the city. The lineup: J. Bowan c, T. Boyle p, J. McGowan 1b, W. Dow 2b, T. McGovern ss, H. McGowan 3b, L. Beatincourt rf, F. Graham cf, Bancroft lf.

The Elm Blues would like to play any team under 12 years of age. The lineup is:

John Foudy c, Edward Flanagan p, John McNulty 1b, Lazzaro Faini ss, Terrence O'Loughlin 2b, James O'Loughlin 3b, Frank Coughlin lf, Charles Smith cf, Edgar Smith rf.

Send all challenges to John Foudy, 26 Cedar street.

The Young Wamesits have organized for the season of 1908. We will challenge any team under 12 years. Our lineup is as follows:

Gargan p, Sweeney c, Delaney 1b, Sweeney 2b, Ronan 3b, Kilroy ss, Delaney cf, Curtin lf, Kilroy rf.

Send all challenges to James Sweeney, 7 Clark's court, off Lawrence street, or through this paper.

The Young Hosfords are willing to play the Cowboys any day. Our lineup: Rob Quinn p, Wm. Cogger c, W. Quinn 1b, Frank Curtin 2b, J. General ss, Chas. Cleary 3b, Walter Lowney rf, E. Blain lf, H. McCarty cf.

Send all challenges to Walter Quinn, 626 Central street, or Robert Quinn, 32 New York street, or through The Sun.

The St. Michael's Stars defeated the Eversticks by the score of 12 to 2 and would like to challenge any team under 13 years of age. Our lineup is: Reynolds sc, Kinghorn p, Cook 1b, McManus 2b, Donnelly 3b, Cremor rf, Grourk ss, Hunt lf.

Send all challenges to Thomas Donnelly, 40 Read street.

The Bachelors would like to arrange games with the Mysteries 2d, the Holy Name Society team of St. Michael's, or the O. M. I. Cadets. Send all challenges to R. Wilkins, 38 Swain avenue.

The Riversides of North Chelmsford defeated a team called the West Chelmsfords Saturday by a score of 2 to 1.

The Red Rovers defeated the Coburn Stars Saturday by a score of 22 to 11. The Red Rovers would like to arrange games with any 14 year old team in the city. Send all challenges to 43 John street. Walter Dawson, manager.

The T. R. & T. baseball team of North Billerica would like a game with the Mysteries or the Wanderers for next Saturday. Address challenges to Charles E. Coudrey.

The Belvideres clash with the Indians May 9, and a hot game is expected. We would like to hear from the Lowell 8 for May 23. Cornelius D. Murphy, 39 Concord street.

The St. John's T. A. Society second baseball team would like to challenge any baseball team in Lowell, under 17 years of age, for a game Saturday afternoon. Address all answers to Joseph McTeague, P. O. Box 267, North Chelmsford.

NEW SHAMROCK

IS SAID TO BE A HANDSOME BOAT.

The new Shamrock, Sir Thomas Lipton's latest racer, is a handsome craft according to pictures which were taken just after the launching. It is the intention of Sir Thomas to race whenever possible. The Boston Globe says of the yacht:

"She will sail in her first race on May 30. Against her will be pitted the best boats that have been built under the new European rule of yacht measurement for the 23 meter class, the largest that can be built under the rule. These boats are practically 80 footers, as the length of waterline on 23 meter rating under the rule would be about that. The rule is intended to produce a moderate type of boat. It puts a premium on freeboard and prevents flaring ends by taking their girth. The 23 meter class was made the largest under the rule to check the tendency toward boats as large as the Reliance, which is too big for ordinary racing.

"The entry of Sir Thomas into British racing with this boat will be watched with much interest by British yachtsmen, who as a whole have never done Sir Thomas the honor of considering him one of them. For some years past theyachting press of England has asked: 'Why doesn't Sir Thomas Lipton do something for home yachting?' Now that he has started to do something it is more than probable, say those who know the ways of British yachtsmen, that he will receive a frigid reception from the run of British yacht owners, who are nothing if not exclusive.

"Sir Thomas has engaged the best racing skipper he could find, Capt. Edward Sycamore, who held the stick on the Shamrock II. in the best races sailed on this side by any of Lipton's three cup boats.

"The New Shamrock is built in Fife's finest style, and has the full allowance of the beauty that Fife is capable of putting into a yacht in a greater degree than any other designer. She is also notable for the character of her interior finish, which is more elaborate than usual in recent racing yachts. The roomy forecastle, messroom and captain's berth are fitted up with African mahogany, and the saloon, passage and sail lockers in Austrian oak. The main saloon is panelled in tapestry, and the ladies' cabin and staterooms are simply in white enamel. Round the saloon there is some exceptionally fine carving, representing commerce and navigation.

"The hull is planked with Honduras mahogany laid upon a framework of steel, the sides being painted in green and white and the underbody coppered."

BOWLING NEWS

Crescents Lead in the Minor League

The Crescents now lead in the Minor league contest despite the fact that the Merrimacks, who are in second place, have a bigger pinfall. Coleman leads in the individual averages and Quesnan is second. The standing:

	Won	Lost	P. F.
Crescents	32	13	20,053
Merrimacks	31	14	21,069
Rocklands	27	15	20,279
Clintons	23	22	20,401
Centralvilles	23	22	20,274
Favorites	23	22	20,151
M. C. R's.	20	25	19,573
American G. C.	18	27	20,016
Mt. Groves	15	30	19,662
Lincolns	13	32	19,621

INDIVIDUAL AVERAGES.

Coleman, 100; Queenen, 97; Mailloux, 95.35; Boucher, 95.8; McLaughlin, 95.3; Lebrun, 94.32; Lemeux, 94.32; T. Doyle, 94.19; E. McAleer, 93.17; Demers, 93.3; Colpitts, 93.1; Bresnahan, 92.28; Jas. Grant, 92.23; Cole, 92.15; Jodoin, 92.8; Martin, 92.5; A. Dyer, 91.33; Bernardini, 91.12; McNeil, 91.11; J. McAleer, 91; Donehue, 90.36; W. Grant, 90.33; Vice, 90.33; McCarthy, 90.25.

The Rocklands took two points from the Mt. Groves in a game in the Minor league series played on the Crescent alleys last night. The knockout tournament at the Crescent alleys resulted in Shaw and MacDonald trimming Wynne and G. Dwyer. The scores:

MINOR LEAGUE.

Rocklands.

A. Dyer	88	90	96	264
Smith	94	84	90	268
Martin	93	85	90	268
E. Dyer	94	85	81	260
Bresnahan	99	100	97	297
Totals	459	434	454	1347

Mt. Groves.

Bernardini	92	82	86	260
H. Sheppard	105	75	103	284
C. Sheppard	82	89	108	279
Mack	87	88	79	254
Duggan	84	94	80	258
Totals	450	429	456	1335

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Shaw	88	76	88	252
MacDonald	82	101	118	301
Totals	170	177	206	553
Wynne	103	93	88	284
G. Dwyer	88	76	79	243
Totals	191	169	167	527

CLARKSON OUT

HARVARD MAN HAS RETIRED FROM BASEBALL.

CLEVELAND, May 5.—Walter Clarkson, once a star pitcher on the Harvard nine, Sunday night resigned his job with the Cleveland American league team and returned to this city from Chicago, announcing he would enter into business in the Chisholm boot shop here.

His poor showing this spring, declared by his admirers to be due to lack of work, is believed to have discouraged him.

Talk of his sale to Manager Bill Armour, formerly of Cleveland and Detroit, now heading the Toledo American Association team, has been heard.

"I am through for good," said Clarkson. "I have been considering this business chance for two weeks."

He was obtained from the New York Americans in exchange for Earl Moore in the middle of last season.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Edouard Lambert and Miss Marie Lacourse were married yesterday at St. Joseph's church, where a nuptial mass was celebrated by Rev. Fr. Dubreuil, O. M. I. The witnesses to the ceremony were Messrs. Adelard Boule and Elzear Hamel. Soon after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Lambert left on a bridal trip.

ROBERGE—AYOTTE.

Mr. Albert Roberge and Miss Lucia Ayotte were married yesterday morning at St. Joseph's church. A nuptial mass was celebrated at 8 o'clock by Rev. Fr. Lamothe, O. M. I. The bride was attended by her father, Mr. Joseph Ayotte, and the bridegroom, by his father, Mr. J. B. Roberge. After the ceremony, the wedding party drove to the residence of the bridegroom's parents in Chelmsford Centre, where a dinner was served and a reception held in the evening.

SALARIES CUT

The Philippine Financial Measure Taken Up

MANILA, May 5.—The assembly has begun the consideration of the appropriation committee's financial measure. The cutting down of expenses in various departments of the government is more sweeping than anticipated. The salary of the governor general was reduced 10,000 pesos and practically every official is reduced in sums varying from 20 to 45 per cent. The forestry bureau is merged with the lands department and the civil service has been merged with the auditing bureau. The American officials are most seriously affected and it is believed the committee will reject the majority of the proposals. The American officials and merchants are disturbed over the proposals which many assert are clearly racial and designed to make it impossible for Americans to fill the positions in the civil service. They pronounce the movement a political play on the prejudice of the Filipinos and fear is expressed that whatever the outcome may be it will prove difficult in the future to secure recruits in America for this branch of the civil service.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

The regular meeting of Butler Ames Company, Uniform Rank Knights of Pythias, met last night and furthered plans for their visit to camp during the summer. The local organization will compete for prizes at the annual field today which is to be held in Boston during the early part of August.

EMPIRE COLONY, P. F.

Empire colony of Pilgrim Fathers met in regular session last night, there being a good attendance of members. A communication was received from D. S. G. Tucker of Lawrence. A committee was appointed to make arrangements for memorial services to be held on the evening of Monday, June 1.

Loyal Excelsior lodge, I. O. O. F., M. U., met in regular meeting last night at Post 120 hall and transacted considerable routine business. The degree was worked on four candidates and later in the evening a report was heard from the delegates to the district convention held at Brockton last week. At the conclusion of business a social hour was enjoyed.

Another hit. "The Garden Party," tonight, for 45 minutes, then dance until morning to the Calumet orchestra. Benefit Day Nursery. 25c.

CAR IS WRECKED

Bearing Injured Boy to Hospital

NEW YORK, May 5.—In a remarkable race of five miles to save the life of a seventeen-year-old boy a trolley car which had run over the lad's right leg and left foot, and which after the accident was rushed at top speed toward St. John's hospital, Yonkers, was practically wrecked entering that city around a sharp curve.

The boy is Fred G. Lawrence, who lives at Tuckahoe, some distance from Yonkers, where he works. He was maimed while trying to board the car at Nepperhan crossing.

Immediately the car was stopped and Conductor Nicholas Hayes, with rare presence of mind, cut the bell rope and made a tourniquet of it, compressing the blood vessels in the injured limbs of the young man, who was lifted into the car. The motorman then put on full speed, while passengers did what they could for the patient. The car flew along faster than any had ever gone on the road before, but when the turn into Yonkers was reached it jumped the track and the forward trucks were practically demolished.

Hayes rushed from the trolley, got a telephone, and soon Dr. Hagan, of St. John's hospital, was speeding to the scene. He whirled the boy to the institution and amputated the right leg below the knee and cut off four toes on the left foot.

Look out for paint! Our painters are everywhere. Kittredge & Co., 208 Central street.

IN NEW BALLOON

Holland Forbes Made Ascension Today

NORTH ADAMS, May 5.—In his new balloon, "The Conqueror," A. Holland Forbes of New York made an ascension from Aero park this morning. It was the first flight of the new balloon which is the largest in America, having a capacity of 85,000 cubic feet of gas. Today's ascension was notable also for the reason that it was the first Mr. Forbes has made since receiving his pilot's license from The Aero Club of America. Mr. Forbes piloted "The Conqueror" today. He was accompanied by the builder of the balloon, Leo Stevens, William and Henry Whitehouse, both of New York. Just previous to the ascent the balloon was christened by Nathalie Forbes, the 11-year-old daughter of the owner who broke a bottle of champagne over the anchor.

The balloon made a splendid "get away," rising to a great height and then sailing rapidly eastward before a brisk westerly breeze.

TOWN FIRE SWEPT

Fire Threatens Its Destruction

COALTON, O., May 5.—Fire threatens destruction of the business district. The police station, the town hall and the fire department have already been destroyed. A heavy wind is blowing. Coalton is in Jackson county and has about 1000 inhabitants.

THE POLICE BOARD

Granted a License to Cushing & Dawson

The police board met in special session late yesterday afternoon, Commissioner Hanson being absent.

During the early part of the afternoon a visit was made to the premises at 9 Thorndike street where Cushing & Dawson had applied for a liquor license after which the commissioners returned to the office and issued the license, the necessary ten days having transpired.

It was also voted to give a hearing tonight to Gardner Pearson who has asked for a reconsideration of the refusal of the board to grant an innholder's license to John C. King.

So far as could be learned no action was taken on the Joyce application.

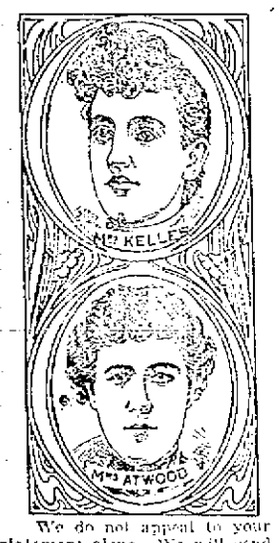
Advance agents for two "shows," the Buffalo Bill's Wild West troupe and Barnum & Bailey's circus, appeared before the board for permits to appear in this city. Barnum & Bailey's show is scheduled for June 3, and the Wild West outfit for July 8.

THE CONVENTION

OF STEEL WORKERS OPENED AT YOUNGSTOWN, N. H.

YOUNGSTOWN, N. H., May 5.—The annual convention of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers opened here today. The convention will be in session from two to three weeks and will fix the scale of wages for union workers for the year beginning July 1, 1908.

EPILEPTIC FITS



The necessity for taking the right treatment for epileptic fits is strengthened by several facts.

First: Ineffectual treatment entails expense and serious loss of time.

Second: If the fits are not promptly cured, the very medicine used aggravates the complaint, and it takes the right medicine longer to cure when it is found.

Third: Successive failures discourage the patient, so that he is apt to discredit the real cure when offered, believing his case incurable and useless to spend his money for treatment.

The failure to take the right medicine at the beginning is serious, but not fatal. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer will probably take longer to effect a cure in chronic cases, but it rarely fails. It has cured fits that existed from birth, cases the doctors had treated for over thirty years and had declared incurable. Many of its cures have been considered almost miracles. Epileptics having as many as twenty or twenty-five spasms a day never had a fit after beginning its use.

We do not appeal to your imagination, or ask you to accept our statement alone. We will send you proof from those cured, that you may investigate.

Cured After 10 Years

I was in a very bad nervous condition, being so badly afflicted that I was liable to be taken with an epileptic fit on the street or wherever I might be. I was afflicted in this manner about ten years, when I began using Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer, which gave me relief at once. I have had only one fit since beginning its use, six months ago, and that within a short time after taking the first dose. I had tried every treatment I could learn of, and had spent over a thousand dollars in ten years, without any help until using Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer. I am only too glad of this opportunity to inform others similarly afflicted what Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer has done for me, that they may be induced to use the medicine and be cured.—Mrs. Joseph Keller, Converse, Ind.

I had been troubled about three years with epileptic fits and nervousness, with a chill after the spasm. During the attacks I would bite my tongue until the blood would run out of my mouth. My general health seemed to be good, but my nervous system was completely shattered. I tried three of the best physicians in the city, but was disappointed in each case. Finally a neighbor woman recommended Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer, and, with little hope of derived any benefit after so many failures, I decided to try it. I purchased a bottle and will say I have not had an attack since I commenced taking it. I cheerfully recommend Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer and urge all who may be troubled with nervous diseases to use it without delay.—Mrs. M. J. Atwood, Shenandoah, Iowa.

$1.00 per bottle by druggists or by express, prepaid.

FREE OFFER: We will send free by mail a large sample and booklet on nervous diseases to all who ask for them. This sample will give a fair test of its virtue without any expense. Don't be too modest to ask; we give them cheerfully.

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If you were to hack your finger or scald your arm you would apply some healing remedy as soon as possible, wouldn't you?

That would be good common sense and it would bring the quickest relief. You surely would never think of drinking medicine or doctoring the blood to cure a surface affliction.

It's just the same principle with diseases of the skin. Eczema, psoriasis, salt rheum and barber's itch can be cured and cured easily if you strike right at the trouble as you do with a cut or burn.

The cause of itching, burning skin diseases according to modern science, is a germ which feeds upon the weaker parts of the skin. To kill these skin bacilli which produce the itching sores and ugly red blotches, use the famous prescription of oil of wintergreen, glycerine and thymol, commonly known as D. D. D. Prescription. This mild liquid was advocated by a prominent skin specialist, Dr. Dennis, of Chicago, long before it was adopted generally. This liquid is called D. D. D. Prescription. It is a positive specific for all skin diseases.

Don't dose the stomach. Cure the skin through the skin. We know D. D. D. and vouch for it. Call at our stores and let us explain. Carter & Sherburne and Falls & Burkinshaw. Booklet on skin diseases free.

BASEBALL

Washington Park, Tuesday Afternoon

Lowell vs. Haverhill

Game called at 3.15.

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WASHINGTON, May 5.—The Post today says:

"John A. Johnson, governor of Minnesota, will be nominated by the Denver convention to head the ticket," said Rep. P. S. Hammond of the second congressional district of Minnesota, the man who defeated for congress former Rep. James McCleary, one of the republican leaders during his service in the house. Hammond nominated Gov. Johnson for both his terms as governor of Minnesota and both times Johnson swept a normally republican state into the democratic column.

"Unquestionably," he said yesterday, "Johnson will carry a large proportion of the southern states. Even in Alabama which convention will be May 14 and among whose people friends of Johnson have done little or no work until within the last few days we have found a surprisingly large Johnson following. This is particularly true of business men.

"I have before me now the copy of an interview given out by Walker Percy, one of the leading attorneys and politicians in Birmingham in the ninth district of that state.

"Mr. Percy points out that Johnson is a winner, not a loser of political campaigns, that he has no crude theories of government ownership to apologize for and his strength in the northwest and east is unquestionable.

"Other business men and authorities in the state are out with similar declarations. I merely mention this is to show how strong Johnson is in states where no particular fight has been made for him.

"There will be a fight to have the convention take action favorable to Johnson and I believe it will do so. If it does not it will demonstrate at any rate even in a state claimed so confidently by Bryan that Johnson is backed by a large following.

"When you find such a situation as that you can easily recognize the absurd position of those who say Bryan will carry every state in the south. The fight in most of the states is now on definitely. Mr. Johnson's friends are sure of victory."

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THE YALE CREWS

Makeups Have Practically Been Decided

NEW HAVEN, May 5.—Crew affairs at Yale are now assuming definite shape both as regards the 'varsity boat and the freshmen squad. What is practically a 'varsity eight has just been picked and its form is such that veteran oarsmen predict a stronger crew than the blue has had for several years. The crew is rowing as follows:

Stroke, Griswold, 7, Captain Ire; 6, Howe; 5, Dunkle; 4, Hunt; 3, Rice; 2, Heyton; Bow, Auchinclos. The starboard side is rowing finely but there is not the same smoothness on the port side, the weak places being at 2 and 4. Peyton who displaced Graham a few days ago, has a very long reach, and when the stroke is increased his oar interferes somewhat. His strength, however, is needed on that side of the boat. Hunt at 4 was in the freshmen four last year. Of the crew Griswold stroked and Peyton rowed in the 'varsity four and Ire, Howe, Rice and Auchinclos were in last year's race while Peyton was a promising substitute. Seldom is the 'varsity crew picked so early and as there are nearly two months of practice ahead much is expected of the crew. No chance to gauge the crew's mettle will come until the New London races as the crew for the Stewards races at Philadelphia will be rowed by substitutes.

The freshmen squad has been weeded to two boats and the final selection promises the best freshmen crew Yale has had in years.

JUDGE GREY

TO SPEAK ON THE BOSTON MEASURE.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—Judge Geo. Grey of Delaware is expected to address the railroads and canals committee of the house this afternoon on the bill introduced by Rep. Burton of Delaware providing for the taking by the government of the Delaware and Chesapeake canal as one of the important links in the projected Boston-to-Beaufort system of inland waterways. Judge Grey's father, Andrew C. Grey, was one of the promoters of the canal.

HOPE DIAMOND

Has Been Sold for $400,000

PARIS, May 5.—The famous Hope diamond, latterly owned by Joseph Frankels Sons Co. of New York, has been sold here, it is reported, for $400,000. It is believed to have been bought for the sultan of Turkey.

The Hope diamond is a sapphire blue brilliant weighing 44 1-2 carats. It was at one time owned by H. Y. Hope. It is supposed to have been cut from the large blue diamond weighing 112 1-4 carats in the rough sold by Tavernier to Louis XIV.

GRAND LODGE ODD FELLOWS.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 5.—The Rhode Island grand lodge of Odd Fellows met in annual session today. The reports of the officers showed the organization to be in an excellent condition.

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Aided by Star Cast in "Brewster's Millions"

"Brewster's Millions," Smith and Ongley's dramatization of George B. McCutcheon's celebrated story of that title, was presented at the Opera House last night by the following star cast:

Archibald Vanderpool ....Sumner Gard
Joseph MacCloud ....Joseph Woodburn
Frank Bragdon .....Willard Howe
Nopper Harrison ....William B. Mack
Mrs. Dan De Mille.....Emily Lytton
Horace Pettingill .....Gaston Bell
Subway Smith .....Sydney Irving
Rawles .....George Clare
Barbara Drew .....Rosalind Coghlan
Col. Drew .....Nestor Lennon
Janice Armstrong .....Grace Arnold
Margaret Grey (Peggy)....Mary Ryan
Montgomery Brewster (Monty) Edward Abeles
Fred Gardner .....Arthur Morris
Mr. Grant .....Albert Sackett
Thomas .....Ted Clare
Trixie Clayton .....Amy Sumers
First Office Boy .....Roy Prosser
Second Office Boy .....Henry Ascher
Monsieur Bargie.....E. J. De Varny
Miss Boynton .....Mary Mallon
First Officer .....George Wright
Captain Perry .....William Rawson
Steward ..... George Spelvin
Quartermaster .....Darl Mac Boyle
Sailors—Walter Clifton, Joseph Turpin, Martin Hoag, Albert Sperry, John Hodge.

You have read in the advance notices of the play the outline of the piece, but you must see it to appreciate its true worth. You may have read the book but the story is not really impressed in all its strength on you until you have seen Edward Abeles, and the exceptionally clever cast that supports him, give you the stage version. Mr. Abeles is a wonder, a remarkable actor, one who never loses himself or oversteps the bounds laid down for his particular work. "I'd like to catch the man who said spending money is easy," said Abeles who plays the character of Monty Brewster who has signed a contract to spend one million dollars in a year, in order to win a fortune of seven millions. Brewster certainly did have a big contract on his hand, and if ever a fellow suffered in an attempt to spend money and get rid of it fast, Brewster did. And it required no little brain work either to turn the trick, for it seemed that no matter what Brewster put his hand to it turned out a winner. "Polite," the horse that always stepped aside in a race and said to the others "You first my dear Gaston," was quoted at 40 to 1 by the bookies. Brewster saw a chance to drop some coin so he placed $1000 on "Polite" much to the chagrin of his chums. Brewster figured it out a sure loss and saw an avenue to let go of some of the money he had contracted to spend. But "Polite" turned the tables and Brewster was $40,000 to the good, as we saw it, but to the bad according to the way he kept his accounts. Brewster always credited himself with his losses, and placed the gains on the debit side, for he figured when he lost his was winning the big bet and when he won he had another bundle to spend and therefore was further away from the goal. He placed $10,000 in a stock that his broker told him was a positive loser and advised him not to buy and it turned out one of the biggest winners in the market, much to Brewster's sorrow and regret. But Brewster's greatest coup was in the third when he had chartered the yacht "Flitter" to take a party of friends on a trip to the Mediterranean. He had two days in which to spend $350,000 in order to win the fortune of $7,000,000 and his brain was puzzled. Finally a storm arose which increased in intensity and finally threatened to wreck the yacht. Brewster ordered the distress signal hoisted but the captain protested on the ground that the salvage would amount to $500,000. That was the chance Brewster had been waiting for and up went the signal that disposed of half a million of his funds, all he had left. The next act shows Brewster's home after the auction. He has disposed of everything, even his jewelry in order to carry out his agreement to spend $1,000,000 in one year. There is a pretty little love story that is brought out during the action of the play and the scenes between the two lovers of childhood, Brewster and Peggy Gray, a character most admirably assumed by Mary Ryan, a remarkably clever lady who possesses a pretty voice, well modulated and trained and most effective in the tender scenes, were appealing and earned the great applause of the audience. Nothing like the third act, the scene of which is laid on board the yacht "Flitter" has ever been seen here. The stage setting is most elaborate, far ahead of anything that has been attempted in Lowell, and the acting, especially that of Brewster, is a strong piece of work. To single out any one in the cast aside from Mr. Abeles and Miss Ryan, as worthy of special mention would be slighting the others. All are grand, in fact no better cast for the play, could be secured. Each man and each woman is a star in his and her particular part and the wonder is that such a high priced company can make a successful financial tour of the smaller cities. "Brewster's Millions" will be seen here again tonight, tomorrow afternoon and tomorrow night and should be greeted by crowded houses. Curtain call after curtain call was given the entire company last night.

ANTON HEGNER COMING.

The greatest living violincellist, Anton Hegner, has been secured by Manager Grau for the Glacia Calla festival concerts and Lowell music lovers will hear this world renowned musical genius at the Opera House Saturday evening, May 9. Never before has there been in one organization so many well known names as that which will grace the program to be given by Glacia Calla's company on that date. To hear an artist like Hegner is alone worth going many miles. Recently the Princess Victoria played the accompaniment for the great 'cellist at a concert given at Buckingham palace before King Edward and Hegner was presented with a set of diamond studs by the Duke of Sandingham. Adelina Patti never sings in London without cabling for Mr. Hegner, so that Lowell is to be congratulated that he is to be included in the list of celebrities for the May festival concert on May 9th. Signor Castellano, who will sing "Faust" on that occasion will be heard also in several arias and if Lowell can't hear Caruso, we can hear his rival and equal, and that, too, several days before Boston hears the great Italian tenor. Miss Calla is now in New York city awaiting the arrival of her gowns from Paris.

"RIP VAN WINKLE."

Thomas Jefferson in "Rip Van Winkle" will be seen at the Opera House on May 11th. It is sixty-five years since the first performance of "Rip Van Winkle" was given by a Jefferson and it has been played by them continually ever since. They have made it the one great classic of the American stage. Thomas Jefferson's production this season, is said to be the most elaborate ever given of the play.

ROBERT EDESON.

Henry B. Harris will offer at the Opera House, May 19th, Robert Edeson in his latest New York success, "Classmates," a play of West Point life by William C. de Mille and Margaret Turnbull. "Classmates" has just concluded a four months' engagement at the Hudson theatre and is unquestionably one of the big hits of the present season. Mr. Edeson is supported by a famous cast of players including Paulina Anthony, Marjorie Wood, Maud Granger, Wallace Eddinger, Sidney Ainsworth, Frank McIntyre, Macey Harlam and Lawrence Eddinger.

HATHAWAY'S THEATRE

The Boyer Players opened at Hathaway's theatre last night and gave "In the Bishop's Carriage," its first local presentation. They played to a little better than half a house. "In the Bishop's Carriage" is a four act play by Channing Pollock, from the novel of the same name by Miriam Michelson.

The redemption of a girl, and any man with an eye for beauty, winsomeness and wit would seek to redeem her; her journey through ignorance, sorrow and crime to a favorite of the vaudeville stage is the sympathetic chain that holds the story and makes it fascinating.

The cast of characters was as follows:

William Latimer .....Alphonz Ethier
Edward Ramsay .....Orson M. Dunn
Bishop Van Wagenen, Westrop Saunders
Tom Dorgan .....Carroll Daly
Frederick Obermuller ....Chas. Davis
Harry Van Ness, reporter on "The World" .....Edwin Belden
Nance Olden .....Norma Winslow
Mrs. Edward Ramsay ...Mollie Revel
Nellie Ramsay .....Julia Morton
Mag Monahan .....Marguerite Blake
Mrs. Mary Latimer ..... Acosta West

Nance Olden was the girl whose pathway of thistles was made one of roses and William Latimer was the Moses who led her out of the land of bondage. He is a great criminal lawyer and he gave Nance all kinds of shows. He caught her riding a house and after he had protected her from the police she proved so ungrateful as to rob him. Her pal and lover was Tom Dorgan, Bad Man Dorgan. In giving an account of herself Nance tells that she was brought up by the "Cruelty" or as we know it, the society for the prevention of cruelty to children. It was there Nance said that she first learned to steal. In those days purloining was a pastime with her; then she stole because want drove her to it and then she became a confirmed thief under the tutorship of Dorgan and there wasn't any job in their line too big for Nance Olden, known as "Nance the Nipper" and Tom Dorgan.

She loved Tom Dorgan and stood by him through thick and thin. But the time came when the very sound of his voice was repulsive. That was when he broke jail and sought her out in her splendidly appointed apartments in New York. She was then in the glory of stage success and he entered her apartments through a window after having broken jail and brained an attendant. In hungry fashion he grabbed and kissed her and those hungry kisses tolled the death knell of Nance Olden's love for Tom Dorgan and the rest, so far as Dorgan was concerned were mostly prison scenes.

All of the parts in this very clever production were well taken and if there was a little flaw here and there it was simply on the surface and easily ironed out. Alphonz Ethier as William Latimer, leading man, had a hard part to play and he handled it very well. He looks the man to save a woman and he is one of the quiet, unobtrusive kind who, if he could, would have saved Nance Olden without a single soul other than themselves knowing it.

As a bibulous character, Orson M. Dunn as Edward Ramsay was all to the good. It would be hard to improve upon his work. It was done enough and not overdone. No better compliment could we bestow.

Carroll Daly as Tom Dorgan, was every inch a villain. He made good from start to finish and his final exit where the pleading words of his pal and sweetheart, Nance Olden, softens his heart as he stands handcuffed and with a prison sentence staring him in the face, was well made. He was jealous of the man who saved Nance from the debris of the past and would have done him bodily harm but that Latimer surprised him at every turn, meeting his blackjack with a revolver and felling him to the floor with his fist when he found it necessary to strike.

Norma Winslow as Nance Olden played well her part. She was as much the lady as the bowery tough and she was in sympathy with each and every feature of her act. Norma Winsow, however, would be even better in a stronger part. She is a very charming girl, natural, graceful and artistic.

The others were minor parts but were all well taken and it was easy to discover that these parts were backed by talent fitted for greater things.

"In the Bishop's Carriage" will be given at Hathaway's theatre every evening during the week, and matinees will be played on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday afternoons. Souvenirs will be given every afternoon to the women patrons of the house.

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THE PASTIME.

Today is the second day that the Pastime has charged but 5 cents for admission to see a ten cent show. The same kind of a show is still running for 5 cents that has been shown for ten cents, and the public appreciates this fact. The pictures are new to Lowell. You have never seen them before so that when you come into this theatre you are sure you will see pictures that interest and hear songs that entertain. You will have no stairs to climb. The seats are the same kind that other houses are charging ten cens to sit in. The pictures are clear as everyone knows who has seen them when this theatre was not charging you 5 cents. Women and children are well taken care of here, and are considered when the management select its pictures and songs. This summer you will hear the same singers for 5 cents as you have heard before, and they are the best in Lowell. There will be a change of program tomorrow, and another Friday.

THEATRE VOYONS.

Playgoers will remember how funny "A Stranger in a Strange Land" was when that comedy was seen here and "Indian Bitters," one of the pictures at the Theatre Voyons today is much like it. It is fully as funny and its laughs center around the English dude masquerading as an Indian and a real Indian. Each is taken for the other and many very amusing complications occur. "The Land of the Gold Mines" is an exceptionally beautiful spectacular picture with a pleasing bit of a story. Its groupings are fine and the wonderful photographic work, heightened by the exquisite coloring makes the whole picture one of beauty. The other pictures on the bill are unusually good and the songs notably, "Where is My Boy Tonight," are really much better than the average of the popular music of today.

STAR THEATRE.

Billy Fusell at the Star is a great favorite with the ladies. He keeps them in good humor throughout his whole act. He is a jolly negro with a jolly act. His eccentric dancing is neatly and comically done and makes the men sit up and take notice. "Baby" Curry with "There's Another Picture In My Mama's Frame" is singing excellently and receives a generous amount of applause. She seems to be more popular than ever. J. C. Bell is singing the semi-classical song, "I'd Live or I'd Die for You," in a manner that would do credit to the concert stage. Mr. Bell excels in this sort of singing and is highly appreciated. The picture program for today is pleasing everybody. There is high tragedy and there is plenty of clean comedy. There are some pictures that are especially interesting to the ladies. Those of a day nursery in France are instructive as well as amusing. Ladies are rapidly becoming the larger part of the audiences at this house, especially in the afternoon.

Anty Drudge's Cure for the Blues.

Anty Drudge—"Won't you come home to tea with me, children?"

John—"Come on, Sally, you have had the blues all day. A little fresh air will do you good."

Mrs. Hardway—"No. I have to get up early to-morrow and get at the washing, so I want to get to bed early to-night."

Anty Drudge—"Of all silly creatures! I suppose you have been thinking about your washing all day. No wonder you are blue. Now just go and put your things on right away. When you get down to my house I will give you a few cakes of Fels-Naptha and your blues and blue Mondays will vanish forever, and John's only day home will be more pleasant in the future."

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A BITTER FIGHT

For Delegates to Republican Convention

TRENTON, N. J., May 5.—The selection of delegates-at-large to the republican national convention which will be fought out in today's state convention is attracting more than usual interest. The six candidates for the four places who are all leaders in their respective fields are Gov. Fort, former Govs. Franklin Murphy and John W. Briggs, United States Senators Kean and Briggs and State Assessor David Baird of Camden. The early indications are that Gov. Fort, Senators Kean and Briggs and Mr. Baird will win. Gov. Fort and former Gov. Briggs are avowed Taft men.

It is generally believed that the delegates will not be pledged to vote for any particular presidential candidate and the attempt will be made to have the convention endorse Secretary Taft.

The district delegates not already selected will be chosen by caucuses prior to the convention. So far as can be learned most of those already named are favorable to the nomination of Taft. It is understood that no unit rule will be adopted by the convention which will be an advantage to the secretary of war.

What talk there has been of presenting a resolution to the state convention favoring Gov. Fort for the vice presidential nomination ceased today when it became known that the governor had expressed a desire to serve out his term as governor.

BILL IS READY

"PORK BARREL" MEASURE TO BE REPORTED.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—The public buildings bill which is popularly known as "the pork barrel" may be reported to the house tomorrow. The republican caucus tonight is expected to define the legislative program for the remainder of the session and the leaders will probably set a time for taking up the public buildings bill.

As soon as this time is set, Rep. Bartholdt of Missouri, chairman of the public buildings and grounds committee, is expected to report the bill to the house. The measure has been ready for a week.

W. C. T. U. CONVENTION.

BOSTON, May 5.—At the press headquarters of the W. C. T. U. in this city today it was announced that the national president-at-large, Miss Anna A. Gordon of Evanston, Ill. will leave the national headquarters at Evanston today for Denver, Colo., where extensive plans are under way for the national convention to be held in that city, Oct. 23-28. Mrs. Stevens and Miss Gordon will make a tour of the state of Colorado.

MORTGAGEES' SALE.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Joseph N. Snay to us, dated May 1, 1906, and recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, book 338, page 575, and for breach of the conditions therein contained, we will sell at public auction, on the premises, on Thursday, 28th, 1908, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage deed, namely: A certain lot of land on Stedman street in Chelmsford, in said county, and bounded as follows: Beginning at a stone bound on said Stedman street at the corner of an old road, running southwesterly from said Stedman street; thence south 79 deg. west, four hundred and seventeen feet to a stone bound on said road; thence south 41 deg. east, five hundred and thirty feet to a stone bound at land of one Spalding; thence north 68 deg. east, three hundred and eighty-one feet to a stone bound at Stedman street; thence northeasterly on Stedman street, four hundred and seventeen feet to a stone bound at the point of beginning. Containing four acres more or less.

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THE VARIOUS SEWER PROBLEMS

ON SATURDAY THE SUN GAVE TO THE PUBLIC AN EXPOSITION OF THE SEWER PROBLEMS AT PRESENT CONFRONTING THE CITY. IT MUST BE OBSERVED BY ANYBODY WHO READS THAT ARTICLE THAT ALL THESE PROBLEMS LARGE AND SMALL ARE IN A VAGUE AND UNSETTLED CONDITION. IT IS NOT AN ADDITION TO OUR PRESENT SEWERAGE SYSTEM THAT IS PROPOSED. IT IS A NEW AND INDEPENDENT SYSTEM THAT WILL DRAIN WIGGINVILLE, THE LOWER OAKLANDS, WARRENVILLE, ATHERTON AND THE LAND BETWEEN THAT VILLAGE AND ANDOVER STREET.

THE SEWER COMMITTEE HAS VOTED TO START WORK IN WIGGINVILLE AND ALSO ON THE ANDOVER STREET PROPOSITION. NEITHER OF THESE SEWERS HAVE BEEN LAID OUT BY THE ENGINEERS, SO THAT IF A BEGINNING BE MADE UNDER PRESENT CONDITION, IT MUST BE WITHOUT SEEING WHITHER THE SEWERS WILL RUN OR WHERE THEY WILL END. THIS, OF COURSE, WOULD BE A VERY UNSCIENTIFIC AND UNUSUAL METHOD OF STARTING WORK ON SEWERS.

THE SEWER WORK IN WIGGINVILLE WE UNDERSTAND IS TO BE STARTED ON SIDE STREETS THAT WILL RUN TOWARDS A MAIN THAT MAY BE LAID IN THE FUTURE. IF THE PLANS IN THE MINDS OF THE SEWER COMMITTEE AND THE CITY ENGINEER BE FINALLY CARRIED OUT.

THE CITY ENGINEER AND HIS ASSISTANTS ARE OUT TODAY, WE UNDERSTAND, MAKING A SURVEY IN ORDER TO ASCERTAIN WHETHER IT IS POSSIBLE TO HAVE ONE SEWER DRAIN WIGGINVILLE AND THE LOWER OAKLANDS TOGETHER WITH WARRENVILLE AND ATHERTON. THIS SEWER, IT IS PRESUMED, WOULD RUN AGAINST THE GRADE FROM THE OAKLANDS UP THE BANKS OF THE CONCORD RIVER ENDING IN A FILTER BED. IF THAT BE NOT FEASIBLE THEN THE QUESTION WILL COME UPON AN INDEPENDENT SEWER FOR WIGGINVILLE OR A SEWER THAT WILL CONNECT WITH ANOTHER COMING FROM ANDOVER STREET AND THUS MAKE ONE GREAT TRUNK SEWER BEGINNING IN WIGGINVILLE AND ENDING AT ANDOVER STREET. SUCH A SEWER WOULD CERTAINLY BE TWO MILES IN LENGTH.

AT THE PRESENT TIME THERE IS SOMETHING IN THE NATURE OF A PUBLIC NUISANCE CAUSED BY THE LACK OF SEWERAGE IN THE TRULL BROOK AND VICINITY AND THE OWNERS OF THE LAND ABUTTING ARE THREATENING SUITS FOR DAMAGES AGAINST THE CITY. THIS IS ANOTHER MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED IN MAKING THE FINAL SOLUTION OF ALL THESE PROBLEMS. THIS WOULD BE RELIEVED BY THE OAKLAND PUMPING STATION OR BY THE SEWER THAT ENGINEER BOWERS THINKS HE CAN ESTABLISH FOR THAT DISTRICT AND WIGGINVILLE.

THE WHOLE QUESTION IN FACT IS ONE THAT INVOLVES LARGE EXPENDITURE AND CALLS FOR THE GREATEST CARE IN SURVEYING AND LAYING OUT OF THE SEWER LINES IN ORDER TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE GRADES AND WATER SHEDS AND AT THE SAME TIME TO AFFORD DRAINAGE FOR THE VARIOUS SECTIONS OF THE ANNEXED TERRITORY FROM WIGGINVILLE TO ANDOVER STREET TOGETHER WITH A PORTION OF THE LOWER OAKLANDS. HENCE THE ENGINEERS HAVE A BIG UNDERTAKING ON THEIR HANDS AND ONE OF EXTREME IMPORTANCE TO THE CITY.

MAYOR FARNHAM, WHO MAY MAY BE SUPPOSED TO HAVE SOME PRACTICAL IDEAS ON ENGINEERING QUESTIONS OF THIS KIND MIGHT BE EXPECTED TO GIVE THE PROBLEMS SOME ATTENTION AT LEAST OF A SUPERVISORY CHARACTER; BUT IT DOES NOT SEEM THAT HE HAS LENT HIS AID IN REACHING A SOLUTION. ALL THAT THE SUN DESIRES TO HAVE DONE IN THIS MATTER IS, THAT THE CITY'S INTERESTS SHALL BE PROPERLY PROTECTED AGAINST THE INFLUENCE OF LAND SCHEMES AND THAT PUBLIC NECESSITY ALONE SHALL DICTATE WHERE THE SEWERS WILL RUN AND WHERE THEY WILL BE OF THE MOST SERVICE TO THE GREATEST NUMBER OF RESIDENTS IN WIGGINVILLE, THE OAKLANDS, WARRENVILLE, ATHERTON AND THE BELVIDERE ANNEX. COMMON SENSE AND JUSTICE WOULD DICTATE THAT THE DISTRICTS SETTLED AND BUILT UPON WOULD FIRST BE PROVIDED FOR, LETTING THE UNOCCUPIED LAND TAKE ITS CHANCES OF ATTENTION AT SOME MORE CONVENIENT TIME. THERE IS NEED FOR EMPLOYMENT AND THERE IS PLENTY OF WORK TO BE DONE ON STREETS AND OTHER SEWERS WITHOUT RUSHING BLINDLY INTO PROJECTS, THE EXPEDIENCY, THE EXTENT OR THE COST OF WHICH HAVE NOT BEEN CALCULATED.

SEEN AND HEARD

It is understood that the principal objectors to closing of hotels between the hours of ten and twelve o'clock Sunday mornings are some married men, who heretofore were able to get a couple of drinks while their wives were at church. Under the new rule it is impossible for them to do this.

Persons who carry loaded revolvers without the permission of the police board will be very severely dealt with hereafter by Judge Hadley. He believes that there are too many irresponsible persons carrying loaded weapons at the present time.

The merry widow face is the latest out. It is worn by men, not women, and consists of scratches on the face as a result of walking with a young lady who wears one of those saw-toothed monstrosities of headgear now in vogue.

Seven inches of snow in Buffalo during the latter part of last week and the very unpleasant weather which has been served out to Lowell during the past few days make us think that we are more apt to get winter than summer.

Too bad it wasn't Carrie Nation who kissed Gladstone Dowie. The joy of a first kiss might have induced her to bury the hatchet.

Better to be called a "Happy Hooligan" than a "Gloomy Gus."

The man who is always sure that he is right is wrong, as a matter of fact, about as often as other people are.

It is a mistake to think that girls have a special fondness for cream cakes. A boy can eat seven cream cakes to a girl's three.

When a man asks a woman in his company if smoking is offensive to her, and she says yes, she mustn't be surprised if he leaves her delightful society after a little while and wanders off to a place where he can light up a cigar.

Sometimes a woman can get her husband to go with her willingly to a party by telling him that one of his old girls is going to be there.

Isn't it queer how, when you buy a lot of hens, "all laying," from a poultry fancier, they all quit as soon as they get into the new coop?

The man who starts a business and sits down to watch it grow is pretty sure to find out before long that he has got to get up and hustle not alone to make it grow, but just to keep it going.

One of the best ways to find out what a woman thinks of you is not to ask her.

It is astonishing how many years a broken heart lasts and how much good work it will do.

There would be a good deal less pessimism in this world if there were less dyspepsia.

The time to persuade a woman that bridge whist is immoral and injudicious is after she has lost thirty-seven dollars playing it the night before.

The meanest man to argue with is the one who agrees with everything you say, and then when you get all through arguing, shows you that he is of the same opinion still.

It is really a great deal of bother to remember that because a man gave you a cigar the last time you were with him you must give him one the next time you are together, or pay his carfare because he paid your fare the last time you rode together in the street car.

The boy has a hard time. He is told that if there is anything he doesn't understand he must ask about it, but he mustn't be inquisitive.

When a man with thirteen children moves into a neighborhood, the shoe dealer feels justified in celebrating by buying a box of strawberries and a quart of ice cream for tea.

Some men are always willing to pay the expenses of the crowd. And the rest of the crowd are usually quite willing to let him do it.

A man who doesn't know when he is licked is almost as tough a competitor as the man you can't lick!

It really doesn't matter much
If bank accounts are small;
If we have sunshine in our hearts
We're rich enough for all.

It really doesn't matter much
If beauty knows us not;
If we have tact and intellect
We'll lead the common lot.

It really doesn't matter much
If we've no shining fame;
If we plug on, and do the square,
We'll get there just the same.

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And Moslem patrician—
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A Bayard in battle.
An up to date brigand
A patriot Stigand,
A Toussaint, a robber,
A mercantile jobber,
Who took Pedicaris
Thereby to embarass
Affairs diplomatic,
By cool autocratic
Demands for a ransom—
Yet treated him "handsome,"
And even Sir Harry
McLean, whom to tarry,
He firmly persuaded
Until he was aided
By forces in Britain,
Who "threw up the mitten,"
And sent him the money
With phrases of honey—
This knight and this pirate
Now smiling, now irate,
Now honest, now lying,
Now nations defying,
Chaotic, unruly,
Mohammed Ben Muley,
Yours truly Rais Uli
Is not!

POSTSCRIPT

Later Advices—
(Rais Uli loq)
That is not in Tophet
By heard of the Proph—
I'm not such a rash'um.
To die in that fashion.
Alone and obscurely
And most prematurely.
Sun setting, sun rising
I want advertising.
I relish the glories
Of newspaper stories;
Enjoy them most keenly
And hob up serenely.
When news is most meagre,
I like to beleaguer
Some Barbary castle
And hold merry wassail
With friend or with foeman,
In short I'm a showman;
I'll die with a pageant,
And evry press agent
Will furnish the papers
Accounts of my capers.
Each man and each maiden,
From Bombay to Aden,
Will read the full story,
And mourn for old gory.
Chaotic, unruly,
Mohammed Ben Muley,
Yours truly, Rais Uli.
Eh, what?

—H. T. C. in Philadelphia Ledger.

PEOPLE OF NOTE

Emily M. Burbank, writing of Geraldine Farrar, says that the singer inherited her musical genius from her father and mother, who were singers themselves and great lovers of music, while her maternal grandfather's greatest interest was in training a little orchestra and composing music for it and his violin pupils. Miss Farrar is the only American who has received the title of court singer in Berlin and is younger by fifteen years than any other singer to be thus honored.

Mr. A. M. Broadly is said to possess the largest collection extant in two widely different subjects of widely different significance—one if Napoleonic material and the other relates to George Crabbe. On both these subjects Mr. Broadly promises new books. There has just come into his possession Crabbe's correspondence with Miss Elizabeth Charter. Both Crabbe and Southey when they were widowers proposed to Miss Charter, and she refused them both.

Crabbe put his proposal in the form of a poem that is contained in an album in the possession of Miss Charter's descendants. It will be printed for the first time in this volume, as also the copious collection of letters which Crabbe wrote to Miss Charter between 1815 and 1826. Mr. Broadly lives at Bridport, in the county of Dorset in England.

The memoirs of the Duchesse de Dino, are said to be bitterly brilliant and much franker than those of Madame de Boigne. The account of Talleyrand's niece, now appearing in the chapters of Madame de Boigne, published in the March numbers of La Revue des Deux Mondes, may have been the signal to the granddaughter of the Princesse de Sagan to issue the Princesse de Courtande's account of her early years at the courts of Berlin and St. Petersburg. As though by foresight the Comtesse de Perigord (to give the author one of the six names which at various times she rightly bore), writing in 1922 anticipates the criticisms of Madame de Boigne. She has not as yet touched upon her career as hostess at the famous Rue st. Florentan house at Talleyrand, and it is not known whether the memoirs were continued to a late enough date to cover her career in London during Talleyrand's embassy of 1830.

"As a result of a drought it is now generally acknowledged in sugar circles that the Cuban sugar production this season will not exceed 900,000 tons, a deficit of about 500,000 tons from the previous crop," said Charles E. Switzer of Havana, Cuba.

"Thus far prospects for next season's Cuban crop are not brilliant, as the drought, which proved so disastrous last season, has continued quite generally throughout the island. It is still only the beginning of the rainy season and ample time remains for general recuperation.

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FORESTRY WORK

TO BE TAUGHT IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

All patriotic citizens should welcome the news that the National Wholesale Lumber Dealers' association resolved at its recent annual meeting in Washington to cooperate with the forestry department of the United States government in its plan to have the principles of scientific forestry taught in the public schools.

Patriots will rejoice at this action because the conservation of the most important of our natural resources is a work of genuine patriotism. To inculcate the principles of forestry in the minds of American youth is not merely to make a proper beginning, but it is the step above all others that will lead to the best results in the long run.

The child mind that is influenced by the patriotic measures of "Woodman, spare that tree!" can easily be taught the lesson why the timber supply should be saved from absolute destruction. The impressionable mind of the child can be taught lessons of timber preservation that cannot be pounded by any means into the denser mind of the parent already set in his ways and opinions.

It is far easier to convince the rising generation of the absolute necessity of government measures for the protection of the forest and the continuation of the timber supply than it is to convince a hardened sinner like Uncle Joe Cannon, for instance, who would have us take no thought for the future as far as the forests are concerned, but would let the future take care of itself, in the face of the actual condition that confronts us and the warning of the Forest Service that our timber can last only for a period measured by two or three decades.

At the present rate of reckless misuse, two things seem to be absolutely necessary:

First, as much skilled preservation of the forests as we can accomplish in the face of a divided public opinion and a divided or lukewarm congress.

Second, and more important, the education of the men and women of tomorrow in the principles that underlie true forestry.

The best interests of the lumber trade of the United States demand the enthusiastic support of government measures of forest protection and preservation. Forestry is not a mere theory. It never has been. An actual condition of urgency exists in this country, which has been late to recognize the importance of the subject, but not too late if we proceed at once to instruct young America aright.

Let forestry be taught in the public schools by all means. It is not merely a useful science, but an invaluable one, and the widest possible dissemination of its principles among young and old is imperatively demanded by the condition that confronts our lumber industries.—The Lumber Review.

ATHLETIC GROUNDS

FOR THE HIGHLANDS TO BE LAID OUT.

The executive committee of the Highland Improvement society has placed at the disposal of its special committee a sum sufficient to begin the work of laying out the athletic grounds recently acquired for the season through the generation of one of the local banks. It is proposed to lay out a baseball diamond, with a proper backstop, etc., and to put up basketball goals for outdoor playing.

INCENDIARY FIRE

Thirty Persons Fled From Haverhill Block

TWO YOUNG WOMEN AROUSED INMATES

By Pounding on Doors of Rooms

HAVERHILL, May 5.—Thirty persons had narrow escapes from death yesterday in the tenement block at 100, 102 and 104 River street, when a fire, which had its origin in oil-soaked furniture, was discovered.

A baby's cries awakened Jacob Maistrovsky, who discovered smoke pouring into the room. The flames were discovered almost at the same time by Miss Rose Sulkin and Miss Ruth Goldman. Their cries aroused the members of the five families in the block, and all fled to the street in their night clothes, some carrying small children in their arms.

The fire started in the barber shop and poolroom of Palo Ferretti, 100 River street, about 1.30 a. m.

That the fire was of incendiary origin the police say there is not the least doubt. The police found the cushions of the chairs and the walls of the barber shop saturated with kerosene, piles of linen on the chairs and the linen closets also soaked with oil. The rubber cover of the pool table had been pulled back and the cloth of the table saturated also.

The local police and state fire inspectors worked all day collecting evidence which will be presented to the court, together with an application for a warrant for the arrest of the suspect.

Ferratti is insured against loss by fire, having two policies for $500. He has owned the barber shop for about six months. Business has not been rushing at the place, but Ferratti secured a living from the trade, doing the barbering and caring for the pool room at the same time.

The block is owned by the Carbone brothers, who are insured against loss and the damage to the building will be considerable the fire having gone up to the first tenement floor from the front windows.

There are four families living in the tenements above the ground floor, in addition to Maistrovsky's family in the rear of his store. Ferratti does not live in the building. The family of Mrs. Rebecca Schwartz consists of three children and a boarder. In the family of Barney Sulkin there are six, Mr. and Mrs. Sulkin and four children. Hyman Goodman has a wife and six children, and the Maistrovskys have three small children, while yet another family, recently moved in, occupies one of the upper tenements.

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AT ST. JOSEPHS

Parish to Observe 40th Anniversary

The 40th anniversary of the foundation of St. Joseph's parish will be observed next Sunday at St. Joseph's church. The church will be attractively decorated on that occasion and the music which was rendered at Easter will be repeated at the solemn high mass and solemn vesper service.

FINDS HUSBAND

BUT HE WAS WITH NEW WIFE.

CLEVELAND, May 5.—For three years Mrs. Eva Goldberg of Providence, R. I., searched two continents for her husband, Abram Goldberg, alias Louis Riceman, and has at last found him in Cleveland married to another woman whom he had brought from Russia 18 months ago.

Goldberg was arrested on the charge of bigamy, and being unable to give bail was sent to jail. His second wife, Jane Goldberg, appeared with him in court and pleaded with Justice Murphy for his release.

Furnished with money from friends, Mrs. Eva Goldberg in her hunt for her husband first journeyed from city to city in the eastern part of the United States in pursuit of her husband. Several times she arrived in different places just after he had left.

At Baltimore she learned that he had sailed for Germany. In Germany Mrs. Goldberg wandered from city to city, always notifying the police of her mission.

It was finally learned that Goldberg had been away from Germany for three months and had gone to Russia. Mrs. Goldberg pushed on to Russia. There she encountered new difficulties, but at Odessa she eventually learned that her husband had returned to America and that he was married.

Mrs. Goldberg reached this country several months after her husband did and went to her home at Providence. There she received information from Cleveland that her husband was here. He was located by the constables.

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THE BIG BREWERS

Make Plans for a National Campaign

TO DROP UNDESIRABLE DEALERS

Who Only Injure the Liquor Business

MILWAUKEE, Wis., May 4.—Plans for a national campaign which is to include every state in the union for elevating the standard of the saloon business of the country will be launched at the convention of the United States Brewers' association here June 8 to 10. The association includes nearly every brewer in America and all the influential members have agreed that disorderly and disreputable saloons must be eliminated. With this end in view, it is believed a good part of the time of the convention will be given up for the discussion of this important subject.

In a small way the crusade against dive saloons has already been begun by the brewers in several parts of the country, but the plan is to extend this movement and during the next year many undesirable saloon men will be driven out of business.

This spirit of inquiry which has been started by the anti-saloon agitation has brought the brewers of the reputable saloon men throughout the country to realize that their worst enemies are within their own ranks. For some years efforts have been made here and there to rid the saloon business of its disorderly and law-defying element. In Massachusetts and in Pennsylvania this has been pretty thoroughly accomplished by wise legislation. In other states the laws themselves have invited and stimulated over-competition, which has proved disastrous to the morale of the business. Individual brewers in every centre have done what they could as individuals to improve the situation, but without much result, and it became evident that the work must be done in an organized way by the brewers and the retail liquor dealers as a body, if any lasting benefit was to be had.

The Texas brewers two years ago employed their own lawyers and secured their own evidence, and forced the hands of the olice and prosecutors, and have rid the state of two thousand gambling and other joints, which were annexes to the saloons. The brewers of the board of trade of New York have now undertaken to do the same thing in co-operation with the committee of fourteen (organized to regulate the Raines Law hotel evil) and the bonding companion, which bond the licensees. As a result of this arrangement, it is expected that 150 disorderly places will be put out of business through their inability to secure new licenses.

The Buffalo brewers have already done the same thing, and it is expected that similar resolutions will follow in Rochester, Syracuse and other upstate cities.

The West Virginia Brewers' association has sent a circular letter to liquor dealers insisting upon their rigid compliance with the law in every particular. The New Jersey brewers passed resolutions in the same effect a few months ago; and the Ohio brewers have taken similar action.

The Minnesota brewers are also in line; and the Milwaukee brewers are now taking the matter up. It is expected that a wholesale house-cleaning will take place in the retail liquor trade in every city of importance.

FREAK DOG CALF

HAS HEAD LIKE DOG AND GROWLS LIKE A CANINE.

NORTH READING, May 5.—Living on a farm here and enjoying the best of health is a freak calf. It has a perfect dog-face and its owner, Nick Preble, has given the little creature the name "Gyp." The animal has already begun to attract much attention, and large numbers of people have visited the farm for the purpose of looking at him. The calf is a very intelligent animal, and although but a few months old Mr. Preble says he can do most everything but talk. Its teeth are undershot, like those of a Boston terrier, and its horns are just commencing to sprout.

It has coarse hair and no tail, its ears resemble those of a dog and he sits up on his haunches like a canine. The front legs are short while the hind ones are long, resembling in some degrees a kangaroo.

Gyp also has a habit of growling like a dog, and he takes great delight in eating meat and milk.

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WANTS HIS WAGES

Negro Soldier Has Sued for $122

NEW YORK, May 5.—For more than three hours last night, Judge Hough in the U. S. district court listened to arguments bearing upon the right of President Roosevelt to dismiss summarily the battalion of negro soldiers of the 25th Infantry for alleged participation in the Brownsville riot.

The arguments were on a demurrer to a portion of the answer of the government, in the action begun by Private Oscar W. Reid, to recover $122, which represented his wages as a soldier from the date of his dismissal without honor and the date of the expiration of his enlistment. The suit was commenced in the federal courts of this district. To the complaint filed in behalf of Private Reid, U. S. District Attorney Stimson entered a federal denial, and as an additional defense, contended the president has a right to dismiss the soldiers and referred to the reports of the various army inspectors recommending such action. These reports he had made a portion of the record of the case. It was to this part of the government's answer that Chase Mellen, counsel for Private Reid, demurred.

Counsel Mellen held that the enlisted men were protected by constitutional rights which the president had not the power to ignore, even as commander-in-chief of the army and navy, the enlistment operating legally, as a civil contract between the soldiers and the government. The power of removal, the attorney contended, was actually vested in congress, which created the army and navy and the president as commander-in-chief, possessed in times of peace only the power to apply the congressional act.

Judge Hough reserved decision, but told Lawyer Mellin from the bench that it would require considerable legal proof to convince him that the relations between the enlisted soldier and the government amount simply to a civil contract. Briefs are to be admitted by the attorneys in the case by Wednesday, and Judge Hough said he would take the matter up at the end of the week.

TOWN MEETING

Held at Grange Hall Last Evening

A special town meeting was held at Grange hall, Dracut Centre, last night which ended in a parliamentary tangle. Action was taken on articles four and five relative to the appropriation of $1500 for the erection of a fire house at Dracut Centre, but the decision will have to be reached only after a legal light has probed into the matter.

Town Clerk John W. Brennan called to order and after reading the warrant proceeded to the first article which called for the election of a moderator. E. A. Stevens was elected.

Article 2 was to see if the town would vote to pay $500 to Amos P. Best for land damages which the latter claimed as the result of the surface drainage from the street flowing upon his land.

George R. Fox moved that the article be dismissed and Selectman Devlin expressed himself as being against dismissal as he said the selectmen wanted to be instructed as to how to proceed as Mr. Best had already entered a suit against the town.

There were several others who spoke and then Mr. Best was heard. The latter said his land had suffered to no little extent by the drainage turned onto his land by the town, and he claimed this to be the result of a culvert which was extended across the road to his property by the road surveyer. The drainage from the culvert had made what was formerly good land, a marshy meadow.

It was finally voted to instruct the selectmen to defend the action of suit brought by Mr. Best.

Article 3, relative to the Marsh hill school and land reverting to the Fox estate, was disposed by the voters instructing the selectmen to defend the town in the action brought by the Fox estate through the land court.

Article 4 read as follows: "To see if the town will vote to build a fire house on the Fanny E. Hall lot in Dracut Centre."

A motion was made to dismiss the article, but this caused pandemonium for awhile. A vote was taken and the article was sustained by a vote of 71 to 64. After the result of the ballot George H. Stevens offered a motion empowering the selectmen to provide suitable quarters for the Centre apparatus and company. This motion prevailed and was carried. Nicholas Gallagher then moved that the selectmen be given authority to spend $1500 from current expenses for the construction of the fire house. This added to the confusion, many being of the opinion that this could not be done, while others called for a ruling on the article. In the midst of the turmoil a motion to adjourn was put through and was passed.

BODY FLOATING

IDENTIFIED AS THAT OF ROBERT SNYDER.

NEW YORK, May 5.—The body of Robert Snyder, an employe of the American Linoleum company was found floating in the bay off Clifton, Staten Island, last night, and his relatives fear that he met with foul play, as all his valuables and money are missing. There is no reason to believe that he committed suicide. He was last seen alive while walking home at midnight Sunday near Richmond. No marks of violence were found on the body.

A RECEIVER

WAS APPOINTED FOR SOAP CORPORATION.

NEW YORK, May 5.—A receiver was appointed yesterday for the Buchan's soap corporation of which Daniel F. Sully, the former cotton operator, is president. Leonard Bronner, the receiver, stated last night that the liabilities amounted to $80,000 with probable assets of $50,000.

FLIM FLAM GAME

Worked by Sharper on Local Stores

ASKS FOR $10 BILL FOR SINGLES

And Returns Short Measure and Skips

A lightning change artist is at work in this city and the police are on the lookout for him. So far as can be learned he has been plying his game at bakershops, though he evidently tried it in other stores throughout the city.

He works the old method of going into a store and after making a purchase gets into conversation and impresses the attendant that he is a commercial traveler. He then asks for a $10 bill in return for ten $1 bills. As a general rule he is given the bill and he in turn counts out a number of bills and gives them in exchange.

He leaves the store in a hurry, however, and when he is gone it is found that he has given out four or five $1 bills in return for the ten spot.

The man worked the game at a bakery in Chapel Hill, but failed to do so at a couple of Gorham street bakeries. He is described as being about five feet and seven inches in height, dark complexion and of foreign features. He wore a dark gray suit.

SENATOR CRANE

To Go on Committee on Resolutions

WASHINGTON, May 5.—The distribution of convention plums is likely soon to interest the Massachusetts delegates to Chicago. There has already been some gossip here about the prospective organization of the 32 delegates, although no meeting will be held probably till all have arrived in the convention city.

Presumably one of the Massachusetts senators will be named as chairman of the delegation. Senator Crane has been mentioned here as the Massachusetts member of the resolutions committee and will be probably selected. It may be that Senator Lodge will be named as the Bay State member of the credentials committee. Good places will be provided for ex-Secretary Long and Col. Bigney, the other two delegates-at-large.

The designation of the Bay State member of the national committee may prove an interesting item of business for the delegation. Senator Crane, who has held the place for the last four years, has not said positively whether he would decline a re-election. If he would accept for another four years he would be named without opposition.

But it is understood that he is not at all desirous of another term. If the senator would have the national chairmanship there is reason for believing he could have it. But he is understood to desire that office as little as he desired it when President Roosevelt asked him to manage the campaign of 1904.

The senator's attitude is so firm on that point that there is considerable assent to the choice of Col. Harry New for the chairmanship. The nominee selects the chairman, but it is understood that Col. New will likely be entirely acceptable to all concerned.

DELEGATES NOT INSTRUCTED.

ANDERSON, S. C., May 5.—The republican convention of the 3rd congressional district met here yesterday and elected two delegates to the national republican convention. The delegates are J. W. Tolbert, of Abbeyville and G. C. Williams, colored, of Newberry. They were not instructed

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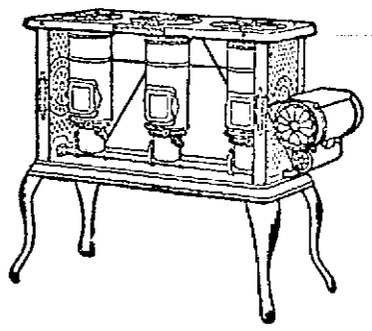

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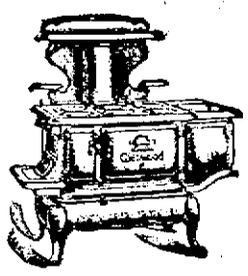

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GREENOUGH CASE

Two Suits for $700,000 Each

BOSTON, May 5.—The marital alliances of the late millionaire Joseph F. Greenough has resulted in two suits for $700,000 damages each, brought yesterday in the superior court by his second wife, Mrs. Emma P. Greenough of New York, one against his estate, and the other against Mrs. Martha D. Greenough of London, Eng., his first wife.

Mrs. Emma P. Greenough sues the millionaire's estate on the ground that he deceived her into marrying him in 1885, in the belief that he was unmarried, and into remarrying him in 1887, in the belief that he had obtained a divorce from his first wife.

She sues Mrs. Martha D. Greenough, the first wife, on the ground that the latter made alleged misrepresentations to her which induced her to marry Greenough. She asserts that Greenough and Martha D. Greenough were married quietly and the marriage kept secret, the wife being publicly known as Martha D. Higgins. She also declares that Mrs. Greenough and Greenough conspired to induce her to marry Greenough, Mrs. Greenough introducing her to him and arranging frequent meetings between them, and that both Mrs. Greenough and the deceased had represented that he was unmarried and free to contract marriage. She further alleges that she relied upon the representations and married and lived with Greenough as his wife.

She affirms that both Mrs. Greenough and the deceased represented to her that he had been divorced from his wife, and alleges that the divorce was collusively obtained in Colorado, where neither the first wife nor Greenough had ever lived. She avers she did not learn until after Greenough's death that he had not been divorced from the first wife.

There's nothing to it but a good time at Associate hall tonight. Calumet orchestra and Y. M. C. I. Dramatic club. Tickets 25c.

SAVINGS GONE

RATS ATE UP THE SUM OF $600.

WASHBURN, Wis., May 5.—Joe Perro of this city is poorer by $600 as the result of the work of rats, which used the precious paper to make their nests.

Perro is a laborer, and for years has been saving his earnings. He never believed in banks, and as he earned the money he placed it away in a trunk.

This week Perro decided to take a trip to Canada, and when he went for his money he found that rats had chewed it into such fine bits that it was absolutely worthless.

WESTFORD

The committee appointed in the recent town meeting to find the cost of building an addition to the Forge Village schoolhouse find that the work will cost about $7000.

OBLATE FATHERS

May Purchase Branch Street Tabernacle

FOR FRENCH CATHOLIC CHURCH

Nothing Definite Has Been Done as Yet

The Branch Street Tabernacle, at the corner of Branch and Middlesex streets, for 39 years a Baptist church may soon be transformed into a Roman Catholic place of worship for the Oblate Fathers of St. Joseph's to whom has been given permission to establish a new French parish in the Highland district are negotiating for the purchase of the building.

The tabernacle is a wooden structure with a seating capacity of 1200, and was built 39 years ago. Both Rev. Fr. Campeau, O. M. I., pastor of St. Joseph's and Rev. Asa Reed Dilts, pastor of the tabernacle, state that nothing definite has been done and Mr. Dilts further states that the matter has not yet come before the Branch Street society. They admit, however, that the matter has been discussed.

Another hit—By the Y. M. C. I. garden party and dance. Calumet orchestra. Associate hall, tonight. 25c admits to all.

SUES FOR $3000

Man Says $2,594.50 is Due Him

Gilbert Berard of Lowell has been sued for $3000 by Elisee Bibeault of Lowell in an action of contract. The plaintiff says that in June, 1907, he agreed with the defendant to build a cellar wall at St. Anthony's rectory and a cellar wall of the Portuguese church, both in Lowell. He says $2,594.50 is due him.

BUILDING LAWS

Are Being Violated Without Interruption

Mr. Editor: It would seem that we either have very poor building laws or else we have nobody to enforce them as there are many buildings going up at the present time that should not be allowed to go up as they do not comply with the law and will be unsafe. There are flimsy structures that will be veritable fire traps and there are buildings without the number of exits required by the ordinance. There are also buildings going up so close that if one catches fire the others cannot escape, and yet the inspector of buildings does not seem to know anything about it. It is time he got a move on and enforce the building laws if we have any. Mr. Editor, I write this as a contractor and builder who knows that the building ordinances are being violated every day whether with or without the knowledge of the inspector I do not know.

LEFT $100,000

HAVERHILL WOMAN AIDS RELIGION AND EDUCATION.

HAVERHILL, May 5.—Public bequests amounting to nearly $100,000 were made known yesterday when the will of Mrs. Catherine A. Ransom, one of the oldest residents and best known women of this city, was read. Mrs. Ransom was buried yesterday.

The Young Women's Christian association receives the old colonial house at the corner of Water and Green streets, with its pictures, household goods and other furnishings. The association will also get the handsome estate known as the Ransom house on Green street at the termination of a life estate. It is announced that the association will go into settlement work as a result of the gifts.

Other public bequests are: Centre Congregational church, $5000, for necessary repairs; American Missionary association, $500, trustees of Tuskegee Institute, $500, for a scholarship fund; Woman's Missionary Union association, $500 to be used for the heathen; Students' Aid society of Wellesley college, $1000, the income to be devoted to worthy students; Haverhill hospital, $500, for supplies for the Mary A. Buttrick memorial room; Northfield seminary, $250, the income to be devoted to a membership fund.

HE RESCUED FIVE

Lynn Man Broke Down Door of House

LYNN, May 5.—Breaking in the door of the cottage house of Mrs. Otis McGovern at 69 Clarendon avenue, where a lively fire was burning in the dining room, Frank E. Leighton of 58 Clarendon avenue last night rescued Mrs. McGovern and her four children, Mabel, 8; Otis and Alice, twins of 4 years, and Ida, 5 years old, all of whom were asleep in rooms on the second floor.

The fire evidently originated in a sofa in the dining room and when the flames were seen by Leighton the room seemed to be all ablaze. Just as he burst in the front door Mrs. McGovern was awakened by smoke, and she began to scream for assistance. So hysterical did she become that she was unable to assist Leighton in carrying the four children from the house and he had to return and take her out.

Alarms were sent in from box 316 and box 361 for the fire, and the two calls sent all of the apparatus in East Lynn and Glenmere to the scene. A stream from chemical 2, with several pony chemicals, were sufficient to extinguish the flames.

The dining room was burned out and the furnishings destroyed. The loss is $500.

BOARD OF HEALTH

SUED BY RESIDENTS OF SOUTH LAWRENCE.

LAWRENCE, May 5.—The members of the board of health, while in session yesterday, were served with notices to appear at Newburyport next Monday in a bill of equity brought by Walter J. Harding and others to restrain the board from continuing to use a dump on Market street, South Lawrence. Recently there have been a number of complaints by nearby residents regarding the dump.

GETS HER PRIZE

CARNEGIE MEDAL ALSO FOR LYNN MAN.

LYNN, May 5.—John T. Donovan, the Lynn man who was recently voted an award by the Carnegie hero commission for saving Miss Jennie Wilson of Lynn from drowning off Nahant, received his prize yesterday. It consisted of $2000 in cash and a gold medal.

Donovan works for the General Electric company in Lynn and is married. One of the conditions on which the award is given is that it shall be invested in a home, and this Donovan intends to do.

HAS RESIGNED

SIR ANTONY MacDONNELL GIVES UP POSITION.

LONDON, May 5—Augustine Birrell, chief secretary for Ireland, announced last night that the resignation of Sir Antony Patrick MacDonnell, undersecretary to the lord lieutenant of Ireland, will take effect in July.

WISDOM IS WEALTH.

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THE MASS DEPICTED

In Clergyman's Play "A Woman Of The West"

CHICAGO, May 5.—Gasps of astonishment came from an audience composed largely of Roman Catholics when the curtain was lifted on the second scene of Rev. L. J. Vaughan's play, "A Woman of the West," produced in the Bush Temple theatre last night.

The interior of a Catholic church showing the altar and an actor in the vestments of a priest performing the ceremonies of the mass was presented for almost three minutes. With an acolyte assistant the offices of the mass were depicted, the chalice was lifted and the mimic priest turned in benediction upon the audience to be interrupted by the flight of a fugitive into the edifice. Each representation of the mass was a copy of the genuine ceremony. Lighted candles arched above the altar and the music attending the service in Catholic churches was played upon the theatre pipe organ.

As the curtain arose upon the scene a burst of applause came from the audience but none came from a dozen Catholic priests and scores of church members scattered through the house. The intermission between the second and third acts was taken up by the excited discussions of the scene.

The play is of the melodramatic order. Father Vaughan said he had not consulted with his superiors in reference to the depiction of the mass on the stage.

"The celebration of the mass is stopped before the consecration of the host. It is simply a picture," he said, "a living, painting, and should offend no one any more than a representation of the same thing in water colors or oils. The subject is handled reverently both by the matter of the play and in the acting. I hope it will lead people to think rather than to criticise."

TOBACCO CROP

The Farmers Give Up Raising It

NEW MILFORD, Conn., May 5.—Dissatisfied with the prices received for last season's tobacco crop, many farmers in this section, it is said, will give up raising tobacco this season and will go more extensively into the cultivation of corn. It is further pointed out that the 1906 tobacco crop sold for good prices to the assorters and packers but the latter are said to have had much trouble in disposing of it to manufacturers, one large packer having as much as $200,000 worth stored in one warehouse with practically no demand for it. This packer is said to have lost nearly $50,000 on the 1906 crop. As a result of the amount of old tobacco on hand the packers showed little disposition to take up the 1907 crop and the farmers' returns were unsatisfactory.

GOVERNOR GUILD

Is Still Being Boomed for Vice-President

BOSTON, May 5.—With the rapid recovery of Gov. Guild and the assurance that he will soon be able to attend to his duties once more comes a renewal of the boom started for him as a candidate for the nomination for Vice President at the Chicago convention, which was allowed to slumber during the serious illness of the governor.

Up to the present time the name of Gov. Guild has been more prominently mentioned for second place on the national ticket than that of any other republican, and it will be no surprise if the governor's friends see to it that the boom is now given the impetus that is necessary to place the Guild candidacy before the entire country.

Down in Washington they are talking Guild for second place with an earnestness that is pleasing to Bay State republicans, and former Congressman Samuel L. Powers is back from the national capital more than ever convinced that Gov. Guild will be selected as the running mate of Secretary Taft.

Gov. Guild is so far recovered from his recent illness as to be up, and by the time the national convention meets in June it is expected he will have fully recovered.

The Guild candidacy is taken most seriously out in Michigan, but it is now almost a certainty that Massachusetts will sit up and take notice and perform its duty in presenting the governor's name instead of permitting a distant state to do it.

Gov. Draper and the republican bosses, who have been a trifle worried over the prospects of the party in this state this year, would be delighted to see Gov. Guild nominated, since it would help to bring out a strong republican vote and assure the success of the state ticket, no matter what the attitude of organized labor might be towards Mr. Draper.

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The following telegram from Mr. Kelley, president of the O'Donnell Dry Goods company, is self-explanatory:

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FAMILY QUARREL

Led to Tragedy in Jackson, Ky.

JACKSON, Ky., May 5.—Edward Callahan was fatally wounded by his brother-in-law, John Spicer, at Callahan's store on Longs Creek and Spicer was in turn shot and killed by Callahan's 17-year-old son, as a result of a quarrel between Callahan and Spicer yesterday. Spicer came into the store and he and Callahan quarreled. Spicer attacked Callahan and nearly cut off his arm. Callahan's son Wilson came in during the cutting and shot Spicer through the heart.

Spicer was a brother of Mrs. Callahan who is now separated from her husband. Callahan brought suit for divorce several months ago and this is supposed to have been the cause of the trouble.

THE RECEIVERS

TO GET $25,000 EACH FOR THEIR SERVICES.

PROVIDENCE, May 5.—In the final decree the superior court today discharged Rathbone Gardner, Cornelius S. Sweetland and James M. Scott, temporary receivers of the Union Trust Co. of this city and ordered that they be paid $25,000 each for their services. The balance of the $125,000 which had been set aside by the court will go toward the payment of the debts contracted during the temporary receivership. The balance will be turned over to the trust company.

SENT TO PRISON

FOR OBTAINING MONEY UNDER FALSE PRETENSES.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 5.—John M. Shook, formerly a first lieutenant in the 31st United States volunteers and who is an important witness of Senator Thomas C. Platt in the suit for divorce brought against the senator by Mae C. Wood yesterday, was sentenced to two years in the Missouri penitentiary for obtaining money under false pretenses by passing a worthless draft.

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MONTREAL—a9.41, *10.39 a. m., *12.00, *8.10, *9.10 p. m.
QUEBEC—a9.41, *10.39 a. m., c5.10, x9.10 p. m.
BURLINGTON—a9.41 a. m., *12.00, *8.10 p. m.
DETROIT—*10.39, b10.30, a11.06, a11.55 a. m., *12.00, b2.25, a2.41, a5.42, *8.10, x9.10 p. m.
CLEVELAND—b7.22, a8.00, b10.30, a11.06, a5.42, *8.10, x9.10 p. m.
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UTICA—b10.30, a11.06, a11.55 a. m., b2.25, a2.41, a5.42 p. m.
TORONTO—*10.39 a. m., *12.00, b2.25, a2.41, a5.42, *8.10, x9.10 p. m.
HAMILTON—*12.00, b2.25, a2.41, a5.42, *8.10 p. m.
BINGHAMPTON, HORNELL, ELMIRA—b7.22, a8.00 a. m., b2.25, a2.41, a9.25 p. m.
SYRACUSE, ROCHESTER—b10.30, a11.06, a11.55 a. m., b2.25, a2.41, a5.42 p. m.
BUFFALO—b7.22, a8.00, b10.30, a11.06, a11.55 a. m., b2.25, a2.41, a5.42, a9.25 p. m.
NIAGARA FALLS—b7.22, a8.00 a. m., b2.25, a2.41, a5.42, a9.25 p. m.
PORTLAND—a6.25, b6.20, a5.45 a. m., a12.00 m., b12.10, a4.00, b5.00, a5.28, b5.45 p. m.
BANGOR—a6.25 b6.20 a5.45 a. m., a5.06, a5.28, b5.45 p. m.
CALAIS, EASTPORT—(via Wash. Co. R. R.)—a6.25 a. m., a5.06, a5.28, b5.45 p. m.
ST. JOHN, HALIFAX and the Provinces a6.25 a. m., a5.06, a5.28 p. m.

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ATTY. JEROME

Said He Would Go to Jail

RATHER THAN SHOW RECORDS

Of Grand Jury Hearing Before Com. Hand

NEW YORK, May 5.—District Attorney Jerome said today that he would go to jail rather than comply with an order received from Judge Rosalsky that certain grand jury minutes be filed with the clerk of the court of general sessions.

Mr. Jerome made this statement at the hearing of charges against him before Commissioner Hand who was appointed by Gov. Hughes to take evidence.

KILLED DAUGHTER

Then Ended His Own Life by Hanging

CLEVELAND, May 5.—Charles Kuppe, 60 years old, a music teacher, today ended the life of his invaild daughter Mollie, aged 27, with chloroform and then committed suicide by hanging. The father had brooded over his daughter's sufferings and had frequently declared it would be better if she were dead.

THE OUTBREAK

IN LIMA HAS NO IMPORTANCE SAYS CONSUL.

NEW YORK, May 5.—Eduardo Higginson, the Peruvian consul general at New York, has received advices from his government stating that the reported revolutionary outbreak in Lima has no importance whatever and is condemned by public opinion. Mr. Higginson said today:

"The trouble is isolated in character and has no weight or political significance. It was caused by the approach of the presidential elections in Peru at which time local disturbances are liable to occur. Latest advices received by cable today are to the effect that the leader Durand with a few followers was being pursued by the government troops. His capture is likely at any moment.

PADEREWSKI SAILS.

NEW YORK, May 5.—Ignace Paderewski, the pianist, Madame Paderewski, Madame Mercella Sembrich, the opera singer, and Andreas Dippel, who was recently elected a director of the Metropolitan opera house, sailed today for Europe on the steamer Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse.

COTTON FUTURES.

NEW YORK, May 5.—Cotton futures opened steady. May 8.70, June old, 8.76, July 8.80, Aug. 8.74, Sept. 8.59, Oct. 8.62, Nov. 8.64, Dec. 8.65, Jan. 8.65, Feb. 8.71-72, March 8.72 bid.

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BISHOP BANG

TO UNVEIL STATUE OF NORWEGIAN POET.

NEW YORK, May 5.—Bishop Anton C. Bang, at one time secretary of the late King Oscar II., arrived today from Sweden on the steamer Helig Olav. The bishop came here to unveil on May 7 the statue of the Norwegian poet, Henrik Wergeland, which was presented by Norway to the Norwegian society of Minneapolis, Minn. Bishop Bang will also pay a visit to President Roosevelt, to whom he brings personal greetings from King Haakon of Norway.

TOBACCO GROWERS

ARE GREATLY IN FEAR OF RAIDS.

COLUMBUS, O., May 5.—That the situation in the Burley tobacco district in Southern Ohio is grave is the report made by Adjutant Admiral Critchfield, who returned yesterday after making a personal investigation of conditions there. No serious outbreak is anticipated for at least 48 hours, however. A mass meeting of the tobacco growers across the river in Kentucky has been called for Wednesday evening at Augusta to solidify the growers opposed to the raising of crops this year. Ohio tobacco growers, especially residents of Aberdeen, which is in the center of an independent tobacco growing region, are greatly in fear of raids.

Mr. Critchfield, who consulted Gov. Harris and Assistant Attorney General Miller, yesterday declared that the tobacco growers in Brown county were living in a state of terror, and many of them were worn out by nightly guarding of tobacco beds.

HARRY ORCHARD

WILL KNOW TODAY WHETHER HE IS TO HANG.

BOISE, Idaho, May 5.—Action to be taken by the state board of pardons at a special meeting today will determine the fate of Harry Horsely, better known as Harry Orchard, now under sentence of death for the murder of ex-Governor Steunenberg. Orchard has refused to ask for clemency. He says he is guilty, though repentant, and should suffer for his crime. Judge Wood, who sentenced him, has recommended a commutation because of the assistance given the state in its unsuccessful prosecution of the officers of the Western Federation of Miners, and Orchard's attorney has pressed the petition for mercy. The attorney will appear before the board today. It is not believed that anyone will be present to demand the execution of the full penalty of the law.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Pocketbook containing sum of money, Apr. 30, between Gershom ave. and Ford street by way of Moody st. 145 Gershom ave. Reward.

LOST—Black silk fob with initials F. P. O. on face of charm. Liberal reward for return. Notify F. P. O., Box 1230, Lowell.

LOST—Monday evening, April 27, amethyst rosary beads, gold chained. Owner's name engraved on cross, between St. Peter's church and Pollard's store. Reward if returned to 31 Pearl st.

LOST—Black and tan hound pup. Reward if returned to R. R. Armistead, 33 Mammoth Road.

FOUND—Purse of money. Owner may have same by proving property and paying for this adv. 427 Worthen st.

LOST—A pair of ladies shoes at Dows' drug store, Saturday afternoon. Finder return to M. Burns, 30 Marion st.

FOUND—A small sum of money on Moore st. Owner may have same by proving property and paying for this adv. at 31 Crowley st.

FOUND—Sum of money. Owner may have same by proving property and paying for this adv. at 192 Third st.

TO LET

TO LET—5-room ten. on Chelmsford st. for $10 a month. 7-room ten. on Grove st. $16 a month. 7-room ten. on Gibson st. $22 a month. Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

TO LET—If you are looking for a clean, tidy tenement of from three of six rooms at a moderate rent, in Centralville, Highlands or near the depot, call on us. We can suit you. Thos. H. Elliott, 64 Central st.

TO LET—To a small American family, a very desirable five-room tenement in thorough repair. Sunny, excellent car service, near stores, schools, churches, etc. No. 156 Pleasant st., Dracut Navy Yard, opposite post office. Price $8 per month. References required. Apply 275 Westford st., Lowell.

TO LET—Modern flat of five rooms with bath, hot water, set tubs and fine yard, centrally located, $15 per month. Thos. H. Elliott, 64 Central st.

TO LET—Newly papered and painted tenement on Mead st., near Whipple. Inquire 16 Floyd st.

TO LET—A tenement of four rooms, 10 Wright st., Pawtucketville.

TO LET—Good tenement of six rooms at 72 Chestnut st., Belvidere, $11. C. H. Conant, 53 Central st.

TO LET—6-room tenement with bath, hot and cold water, etc., on Mt. Washington st. Inquire at 25 Varney st.

TO LET—Five rooms, pantry, bath, at 40-41 Barclay st., $11, $12. Apply to The Phillips & Schutz Furniture Co., 332 Middlesex st.

TO LET—At 482 Moody st., a 10-room cottage and stable. Telephone 1695-3.

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TO LET—6-room upstairs tenement at 58 Tyler st. Apply to Geo. H. Walker, 216 Central st., Care Barrett & Daw.

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FOR SALE—7½ feet silent salesman show case, all plate glass, Joslyn make, also two plate glass mirrors, 24x60, fine condition. The Pinault Co., 43 Central st., cor. Middle.

FOR SALE—Set of gun metal store and window fixtures, suitable for hats, clothing and gent's furnishings. The Pinault Co., 43 Central st., cor. Middle.

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Athletics

Craze For Small Boats In American Yachting Circles --- President Eliot of Harvard Ignorant of Value of Athletics

ACTIVITY is running loose in the boat yards where old craft are being tuned up for the 1908 season and where new sea skimmers are receiving their finishing touches.

Preparations for the yachting season around Chicago, Boston, Philadelphia and New York are very well advanced. That small boat racing (meaning boats under fifty feet over all) will be the chief feature of the year is a foregone conclusion. The reign of the small boat, with a Corinthian skipper, is supreme. All others, take notice that you positively must vacate the premises at once.

An evidence of the popularity of the small boat is the fact that one of the widely talked of events this year will be a contest between the east and middle west and that the contestants will be twenty-one footers.

Little Haste and Spray to Race.

The twenty-one footer Little Haste of Providence, R. I., owned by F. B. Thurber, and the Lipton cup racer Spray of Chicago, owned by Frederick A. Price of that city, will race on Lake Michigan in July. The Spray is the twenty-one foot champion of the great lakes, having won the title last August on Lake Michigan. The race will be for a $1,000 purse.

The Little Haste is a Burgess (Boston) sloop, thirty-nine feet over all, twenty-one feet on the water line, eleven feet beam and six feet draft. She was built in 1902. The Spray is a craft of later construction, having been built in 1906 at Chicago. She is thirty-seven feet over all and twenty-one feet on the water line.

The popularity of the small sailing craft has reached the point in all yachting centers in this country, where it may well be termed a "craze." In European yachting circles a majority of people look with contempt on small sail and power craft. The feeling is that the people who race small boats cannot afford large ones. Over here many a man of large wealth races twenty or thirty footers from choice and does not lose in caste thereby. As a matter of fact, even a twenty-one footer designed by Burgess or Crowninshield or Herreshoff or any of a dozen other designers costs a tidy sum to put into the water. And when it comes to paying a big sum of money for a comparatively little thing one of the Newport (R. I.) thirty footers tops the list. These celebrated Herreshoff "one design" boats are built of mahogany, and each is equipped with a suit of silk sails to be used on special occasion.

Speed the Chief Requisite.

There is one fault in the development of small boats along present American lines. This consists in the practice of designers and builders of sacrificing everything to speed. The designers, of course, give their customers what they want. Their customers want what they want just exactly as they want it, but it is within the province of designers and builders to instruct many a yachtsman in the superior advantages of a craft which does not wholly vary from the cruising type. The most comfort, safety and service are obtained from the cruising type. The most excitement is given by the purely racing type. Combine these two types judiciously and the ideal pleasure craft is had for all around purposes.

President Eliot's Latest Tirade.

President Eliot of Harvard is undoubtedly a man of surpassing erudition. When it comes to boxing the compass of political economy or to promulgating pronunciamentos regarding the increase of pickaninnies in the Panhandle section of West Virginia, President Eliot wins all the encomiums. He is a champion medal grabber in the heavyweight brain class.

But there is one subject that the honored potentate of the Harvard think works finds too difficult for him to handle sensibly. This subject is athletes and athletics. For the last three years President Eliot has been the yellow kid of the athletic world. Every serious statement he has made on the subject has been a scream. Every effervescent dictum he has put forth under the guise of wit has been so weighty as to poke a hole in the ground wherever it struck.

Not satisfied with this picturesque record as an athletic authority, the learned educator recently relieved his mind of a few more sweet nothings. Here are some of them:

"Football is the least useful of all the games because it can be played by very few and never beyond the college period. Football toughness is not the kind of toughness which is most profitable in after life. Its blazonings and crowded triumphs are an ill preparation for professional men in their later struggles, who do their best work alone, or at most in the presence of a few critical observers."

He classes baseball, basket ball and hockey among the "violent sports" that should be restricted or interdicted. One passage, the following, he issues with particular emphasis:

"Every intelligent youth ought to cultivate sports that he knows will serve him until he is old rather than those he cannot keep up after he leaves college. The moderate, generally available and long available sports are also much more wholesome than the violent sports which only a few can endure, and these few only while they are young."

President Eliot is away off side, not only in his facts, but in his conception of the purpose of athletic exercise. A game like football, for instance, does not lose in value to the individual because it cannot be played after a man leaves college and enters business. The fundamental purpose and value of football is the improvement that then and there his brain and body derive from the exercise and fresh air. His constitution is built up and bulwarked by fresh blood and new tissue. The functions of the vital organs are better performed. The body is given development that it never entirely loses. Many a man would never have lived to carry on a profession or a business if he had not played the very games that President Eliot decries. But there is not the slightest need of continuing after leaving college the pastimes of college life, as the president claims.

It is the worst of sophistry to argue that a youth should not indulge in sports unless these sports "will serve him until he is old." The youth does not want the sport to serve him until he is old. HE WANTS THE EFFECTS OF EARLY SPORT, PRESERVED BY MODERATE EXERCISE IN AFTER LIFE, TO SERVE HIM WHEN HE IS OLD.

When the president states that a youth should not take part in sports that he cannot keep up after he leaves college he evidences colossal ignorance of the basic principles of exercise, ignorance that is woefully unfortunate in a man in a position to make his ignorance, militantly exercised, a menace to those intrusted to his care.

President Eliot is a gay boy of the extremest type. Evidently he would not hesitate to permit the undergrads at Cambridge the privilege of indulging in the Chautauqua salute for hours at a time. This is his ideal form of muscular exercise, though it can be abused if the handkerchief waved in the salute be made from extra heavy cotton. All danger of a damaging strain of the muscles, however, is removed from the Chautauqua salute if a silk handkerchief not more than six inches square be used. President Eliot ascertained this fact by a series of experiments and investigations in the encyclopedia department of the Harvard gymnasium.

BEN TAVIS.

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Review of the Dramatic Season of 1907-8, Now Closing

[From Our New York Dramatic Correspondent.]

A RETROSPECT of the stage season of 1907-8, now closing, reveals the fact that musical comedy ruled the year, and strangely enough too. Legitimate dramas, as a whole, were inferior in merit to those of various recent years. Musical comedies, as a whole, were better than those of immediately previous years.

Probably the loss of Richard Mansfield to the stage was in a measure responsible for the artistic shortcomings of the season. Mr. Mansfield had for years brought the New York season to a climax with an engagement of several weeks' duration. E. H. Sothern's attempt to fill Mr. Mansfield's niche was unsuccessful, though at some future time it may be that he will accomplish his desire.

With successes like "The Merry Widow," "A Waltz Dream," "The Girl Behind the Counter," "Tom Jones," "A Knight For a Day," "Miss Hook of Holland," "The Talk of New York," "The Soul Kiss" and "The Hoyden" (in its new and revised form), powerful straight drama had powerful rivals for the public's dollars. Ordinarily, perhaps, the simultaneous run of several attractive musical productions would not have materially affected the career of real artistic straight drama successes. But the past season had to struggle along during a violent financial storm. Money was scarcer than snowballs in the Sahara. Play after play went to the storehouse (or to the secondhand dealers) that otherwise might have made money. Musical comedy, being the lighter form of entertainment, suffered less than straight drama. Straight comedy fared better than emotional plays or tragedies. That was a natural result of hard times. With real tragedy at home and at the business office during panic times, there is not much inducement to go to a theater to see how a heartless duke breaks the trusting heart of somebody's nursegirl.

Season's Best Plays.

Of the many straight dramas of the season "The Witching Hour," "The Thief," "A Grand Army Man," "My Wife," "The Honor of the Family," Ermeto Novelli in repertory, including "Nero" and "Papa Lebonnard;" "The Servant In the House," "Twenty Days In the Shade," "Father and the Boys," "Lord Dundreary," "The Jesters" and "Paid In Full" were probably the best. The four first named and "Lord Dundreary" have been the best money makers. Kyrle Bellew is the chief drawing card in Henry Bernstein's "The Thief." His excellent acting and the excellence of the play form a combination difficult to excel in their particular sphere. Augustus Thomas is soundly considered to have written his best play in "The Witching Hour," which tells vividly a story of American life that grips one's attention from start to finish. The never failing Belasco piloted David Warfield safely into the region of fair breezes and deep waters for a year at least in "A Grand Army Man," by William Cecil de Mille and simultaneously gave his new Stuyvesant theater a successful inaugural.

Maude Adams and "The Jesters."

Maude Adams, not having a play half as good as "Peter Pan" or "The Little Minister," naturally scored to only about half her usual measure in "The Jesters." However, her personal success overshadowed some of the defects in the play. It requires a very poor play to cloud Miss Adams.

Mrs. Patrick Campbell would unquestionably have had a long New York run in "Electra," an impressive production and performance, had not internal dissensions broken out in the company which caused the closing of the engagement at the Garden theater.

There were several plays that proved artistic successes, but financial failures. In this class was "John Glayde's Honor" at Daly's theater, in which James K. Hackett essayed to return to New York as a popular star. The unnecessarily hostile attitude of several New York critics was principally responsible for the early closing of this well produced play. Similar kinds of successes, not very exhilarating to the managers, were "The Morals of Marcus," with Marie Doro; "The Secret Orchard," by Channing Pollock; "The Comet," with Mme. Alla Nazimova, and "The Rejuvenation of Aunt Mary," with May Robson.

Sothern's Productions.

E. H. Sothern's engagement at the Lyric was a pleasing feature of the season. "Lord Dundreary" was the best liked of his offerings. "The Fool Hath Said In His Heart" was justly condemned. It at no time showed evidences of lasting qualities. The putting on of "Don Quixote" was in the nature of a Mansfieldian enterprise, which, not having Mr. Mansfield behind it, gained only a moderate success. Mr. Sothern will expand in ability as an individual producer as his experience in this line increases.

"The Merry Widow."

Of course it is useless to reconsider the triumph of "The Merry Widow" in detail. The vogue of this play will last for continuous years throughout the country, almost, no matter who plays the important roles. The very name of "Merry Widow" in itself is a magic golden word that lures the pleasure seeker in every clime into the manager's net. Posterity will hear about this play and flock at distant dates to witness a revival of "the famous musical comedy that fathers and grandfathers of the present day declared to be the greatest piece of its kind in stage history." Those same members of future generations will view the play and in blase manner pose and say: "The sorry old bundle of words and music is too outlandishly out of date for any use. Gracious, what old fogies our old folks were to think 'The Merry Widow' amounted to anything! Why, back there in 1908 they used to think they knew a thing or two."

The big musical comedy hits of the season were not American productions to any great extent. This state of affairs is by no mean flattering to our native talent, which never loses a chance to assail managers for putting European pieces on the American stage. "Give us a chance" is the recurring outcry of the American playwright and musical comedy manufacturer. Yet how rarely when the chance is given does the individual American playmaker make good along the musical comedy line.

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Come to Associate hall tonight and grow young. Y. M. C. I. comedians and soubrettes in the latest songs and jokes for one hour, then dance from 8.45 till morn. Associate hall tonight. Calumet orchestra, 25c, that's all.

FUN FOR EVERYBODY.

The New Idea Shoe company is at it again. It always has its hooks out for bargains in footwear, and the A. F. Cox firm of Portland, Maine, put its entire stock of more than 100,000 pairs of shoes on the market. As usual, I. Morse, the proprietor of the Idea shoe store, was there when the Cox company was giving these goods away and the purchase he made was so large that he will be able to furnish a pair of shoes to every person in the city. Mr. Morse has been obliged to hire a large store room on Middle street to house the goods until the special sale is on. Read the big shoe sale advertisement in tomorrow's Sun.

NO MORE, NO LESS.

The Sun has all the news,
You can't get more than that;
The Sun costs but a cent,
You can't pay less than that.

KILLED HIS WIFE

Member of Fire Department Then Committed Suicide

DENVER, Colo., May 5.—Burton Koch, a member of the city fire department, shot and killed his wife, Louisa, wounded Mrs. Matilda Motley her mother, and then committed suicide early today. Mrs. Motley in attempting to shield her daughter received a shot in the left leg. The tragedy followed a series of quarrels and separations. A divorce was granted Mrs. Koch in April, but later she returned to her husband.

HOME OF PEACE

Corner Stone to be Laid May 11

WASHINGTON, May 5.—All indications point to a notable gathering on the occasion of the laying of the corner stone of the new building of the international bureau of the American republics on May 11. Sufficient acceptances of the invitations sent out by the governing board have been received from the highest officials in Washington, including the president and vice-president and representative citizens of Washington as well as from prominent outside officials including governors of states to make the event one of the most important of its kind in the history of the capital. The principal speeches which will be made by President Roosevelt, Secretary of State Root, Ambassador Nabuco of Brazil and Andrew Carnegie will have an international significance as the structure which is to be erected is to be the permanent home in Washington of an institution devoted to the development of peace, friendship and commerce among the American republics. The invocation will be delivered by Cardinal Gibbons and the benediction will be pronounced by Bishop Cranston, the dean of the Protestant clergy in Washington. The exercises will be opened by the director of the bureau, John Barrett who will present as the presiding officer the secretary of state and chairman of the governing board, Elihu Root. The marine band will provide the music.

MAKE IT FELONY

Move Made to Stamp Out Anarchy

CHICAGO, May 5.—Extermination of anarchy is the scope of a bill drawn by Assistant Corporation Counsel Hole which will be introduced in the legislature today by Rep. Albert F. Keaney. It provides that any person who shall publicly advocate by spoken or written word the killing of any person, whether in Illinois or in a foreign country, shall be deemed guilty of a felony and shall, upon conviction, be sentenced to the penitentiary.

HOLY ROLLERS

Disrobed in Street Were Driven Out of Town

WAUPANUCKA, Okla., May 5—Citizens of Bromide, six miles from here, were awakened at daybreak by the arrival of a band of Holy Rollers, who disembarked here from a westbound train and spent the night walking to the new town.

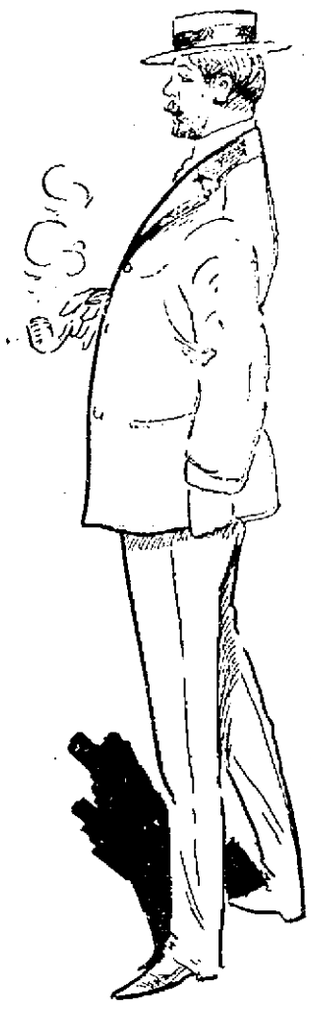
Beating drums and singing, they marched to Bromide Springs, where five buxom young women of the band began the ceremonies by disrobing in public and wading into the cold waters, praying at the top of their voices.

Mayor Smith ordered City Marshal Thomas Irwin to call every able-bodied man to his aid and rid the community of the fanatics. It took these deputy marshals three hours to clear the springs of the bathers and six hours to drive them out of town.

FIRST STRAW HAT

Worn by Col. Chadwick This Morning

The genial Col. A. M. Chadwick has this year, as last, led the season in appearing out with a straw hat. This morning he went to the Tremont and



Pencil snapshot of Col. Alfred M. Chadwick appearing in the first straw hat of the season.

Suffolk counting room wearing a nice new straw hat, which, we presume, sets the style also for the season, for the colonel is always well dressed.

His wardrobe may contain a winter overcoat, but Col. Chadwick rarely wears one. The heavy coats he considers an incumbrance and his fall overcoat usually carries him through until it is time to don the spring overcoat. Tomorrow, of course, straw hats will be numerous.

IT DESERVES IT

The Sun occupies the highest position in local journalism. It leads in everything. Everyone admits it to be

LOWELL'S GREATEST NEWSPAPER

USED THEIR GUNS

Burglars Were Caught at Work

THEY FIRED SEVERAL SHOTS

Men Fled Toward the Canadian Border

MONTGOMERY, Vt., May 5.—After breaking into the store of M. S. Parker which contains the local postoffice and firing several shots at William Mossey, a resident of the village three men were frightened away early today without obtaining any booty and escaped from the village, going in the direction of the Canadian border. Mossey was walking along the main street toward his home when he was held up by the men at the point of revolvers and was compelled to sit down on the steps of a church opposite the Parker store. One of the men stood guard over him while the other two broke open the store door. When the door fell with a crash Mossey made a break for liberty and although the man who was guarding him pursued him and fired several shots Mossey was not hurt. He made such an outcry as he ran along the street that the burglars without having stolen anything disappeared to the adjoining town of Berkshire on the Canadian border. The authorities were notified and at once began a pursuit of the men.

There have been numerous burglaries in Vermont during the last four months, the last one being at Stowe near here on March 31 when four men rifled the postoffice safe and secured $500 worth of money and stamps.

JEWEL ROBBER

Woman Charged With $3000 Robbery

NEW YORK, May 5.—Miss Sadie Papps, a dashing, fair-haired woman, about twenty-five years old, a manicurist, living at No. 1812 Avenue J, Flatbush, and Charles H. Hausler, until last July a bicycle policeman, were locked up in police headquarters, Brookyn, last night on a charge of grand larceny.

The woman is accused of having stolen jewels to the value of $3,000 from the home of Benjamin Knowles, a real estate dealer at No. 200 Montague street, living at No. 554 East Twenty-sixth street, Flatbush. It is said there will be other charges.

The man was arrested as a confederate early in the day and held until the arrest of the young woman. She was apprehended while coming down the steps of the house at No. 310 State street, where Kausler roomed. She had gone there to see him and, finding him out, after a short wait came from the house and was arrested by Police Captain Kuhne, Detective Doulin and Lieut. McKenney.

HOUSE REFUSED

To Reconsider License Money Measure

The lower branch of the state legislature this noon refused to reconsider its action whereby the bill to give one half of the license money to the state was defeated yesterday. The vote on the question of reconsideration was 77 in favor and 85 against. All the Lowell representatives voted against reconsideration.

$200,000 BLAZE

Bad Fire in Frisco Last Night

SAN FRANCISCO, May 5.—Fire last night destroyed property in the block bounded by Market, Geary and Kearney streets and Grant avenue, valued at $200,000. It started in the kitchen of the Mentone restaurant. The buildings were of one story of wood, built since the big fire.

SOLEMN SERVICES

AT THE CLOSE OF THE FORTY HOURS DEVOTION TODAY.

Forty hours' devotion at St. Peter's church closed this morning with solemn high mass at which the celebrant was Rev. Fr. Heffernan, assisted by Rev. Fr. McDermed, deacon, and Rev. Fr. Mullin sub-deacon. At the conclusion of the mass a procession was participated in by the sodalities of the church and the sanctuary choir, the latter furnishing music.

ATTACHMENTS

RECORDED AT THE LOCAL REGISTRY OF DEEDS.

Among the recent attachments recorded at the registry of deeds is that of Catherine F. Stone, of Boston vs. John Leary, alias John A. O'Leary of Dracut in an action in equity, the ad damnum being $2000.

Charles Lefebvre brings suit against James Gately in an action of contract in the sum of $800.

Go to Associate hall tonight. Tickets 25c. Best time of season. Best music. Best show. Don't miss it.

SHOE SHOP DANCE

Enjoyable Affair Held in Associate Hall

BY FEDERAL SHOE CO. EMPLOYES

Gold Watch Presented to Young Woman

The employes of the Federal Shoe company held their first grand concert and ball in Associate hall last evening and it was one of the most pleasing events of the season. It was a grand success, both socially and financially. About 275 couples were present and enjoyed the dancing, the music being

DANIEL W. SHANAHAN,
General Manager.

furnished by the Calumet orchestra. Previous to dancing the orchestra rendered an excellent concert program.

The exciting feature of the ball was the ticket selling contest for a gold watch and chain. It was won by Miss Edna Lear of Lincoln street. Mr. Roberts of the orchestra in behalf of the management, presented Miss Lear with the prize from the stage and announced that Miss Weimitt, who was second in the contest, would receive a present today. It was the intention of the management to award but one prize but as the latter had worked hard and was so close to the winner it was decided to give a second prize.

The success of the affair was due to the great work of the prize contestants and the following officers:

General manager, D. W. Shanahan; assistant general manager, Arthur Paris; floor director, J. J. Rivers; assistant floor director, E. M. Spalding; chief aid, Harry Craft; aids, W. C. Sterling, Arthur O'Connor, J. F. Honen, W. C. Smith, P. H. Heslin, George Couture, E. C. Honen, Dick Bannister, W. H. Robbins, Al. Adlington, P. E. Cockerille and Joseph Bosse.

Committee of arrangements: D. W. Shanahan, J. J. Rivers, Arthur Paris and E. M. Spalding.

ARE NOT GUILTY

Of Having Set Fire in Billerica

The case of Edward Sousier, Moses Millette and John H. Rydie, charged with setting fires in Billerica, was heard in police court this morning and all three were discharged as soon as the government's side of the case had been heard.

The case hinged on a technical point which had to do with the acceptance of certain provisions of the law, which it seems have not been accepted by the town of Billerica, and owing to that fact the court found for the defendants.

Lucy A. Clewley, of Woburn, was the first witness called. She owns property in Billerica between what is known as the old Billerica road and the Boston & Maine railroad track. It is near the Tewksbury boundary line and is partly woodland and partly meadow. She said that she did not give anyone permission to set a fire on the land.

William F. Symms testified that when he reached the Clewley land the defendants were fishing and the fire was burning. He could not say whether or not the fire was set by the defendants. On cross-examination Mr. Symmes said he did not think the fire did any injury. He was of the opinion that the fire was set by a lantern. There were two parties fishing at the time. One had a lantern and the other had a lantern and a torch.

George Crosby, of Billerica, said his attention was called to the fire Saturday night. He went to the scene in company with Constable Livingston and saw the defendants fishing near the fire. The sparks were blowing for 50 feet through the woods, and but for the fact that there had been rain during the afternoon a serious fire might have resulted.

Constable E. W. Livingston corroborated the testimony offered by the previous witnesses. Cross-examined witness said that the defendants told him that they had started a little fire.

The government rested its case at this point and Lawyer Hamel asked the court to discharge the defendants.

Judge Hadley then quoted the law and after explaining it in detail ordered the defendants discharged.

THE UNIT RULE

May be Adopted by the Conn. Repubs.

HARTFORD, Conn., May 5.—Early interest in the republican state convention which will hold its first session this evening preliminary to choosing fourteen delegates to the Chicago convention is in the attitude of the delegates toward U. S. Senators Bulkeley and Brandegee who are believed to have a desire to go to the convention and yet have not signified their preference for a presidential candidate. It is not now expected that the convention will name either senator for delegate at large and should they be chosen a resolution embracing the so-called "unit rule" probably will be passed. Michael Kenealy, chairman of the state central committee, today stated that he believed the convention should give its judgement for secretary Taft withopt positive instructions and then should direct its delegates to vote as a unit. He says he will support such a resolution in committee and on the floor of the convention. The expectation is that the entire delegation will be selected before the convention begins business as a permanent organizataion.

With the two United States senators out of consideration the belief is held that national committeeman Charles F. Brooker will be selected as one of the delegates at large.

The only member of the Connecticut delegation in congress to be present will be Congressman Lilley who is a member of the state central committee.

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Proprietor—JULIUS CAHN—Manager

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Matinee Wednesday.
Frederick Thompson presents Edward Abeles, the original New York cast.
Brewster's Millions
Exactly as presented for five weeks at the Colonial Theatre, Boston.
Prices: Mat., 25c to $1.00; Eve., 25c to $1.50. Seats on sale.

SATURDAY, MAY 9,
MAY MUSICAL FESTIVAL
Mlle. Glacia Calla
Sig. E. Castellano
M. Victor Occellier
Mlle. Inganoff
Her. Anton Hegner
Prices—50c to $1.50. Seats Wednesday.

HATHAWAY'S
THIS WEEK
The Boyer Players present
IN THE BISHOP'S CARRIAGE
By Channing Pollock. A grand production by a carefully selected company, Mr. Alphonz Ethier and Miss Norma Winslow in the leading parts.
Matinees at 2.30—Only Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Saturday. Every Evening at 8.15. Popular prices.
Pianos from Grunewald's.

Annual May Festival
In aid of the
Day Nursery and Temporary Home for Children
Opens at Odd Fellows Hall, Middlesex St., May 6-9, from 6 to 11 p.m. Saturday, 2 to 11 p.m.

Wednesday, May 6—Military ball preceded by wall scaling contest for company prize, between members of local companies, M. V. M. Prize competitive drill.

Thursday, May 7—March of Nations, under the direction of Miss L. Blanche Perrin, from 8-9 p. m., followed every 15 minutes by individual specialties.

Friday, May 8, from 8-9—Pickaninny Minstrels under direction of Mr. Fred Blunt; 60 boys, six end men, special jokes and songs. Specialties.

Saturday, 2-5 p. m., children's afternoon. Pickaninny Minstrels, and Miss Perrin's specialties. Punch and Judy, grab bag, toy table.

Saturday evening, 8-9 Picaninny Minstrels, specialties, followed by prize drill of High school cadets, and High school ball.

Good supper Thursday, Friday and Saturday, 5.30 to 7.30. Friday night specialties, fish chowder and steamed clams.

Dancing in banquet hall every night from 9 to 11.

Tickets—Season 50 cents. Single admission 25c; children 15, to be purchased at Ellingwood's or at the door.

Special events in aid of festival.

Tuesday, May 5, Associate hall, volunteer entertainment by members of Y. M. C. I., followed by dancing. Calumet orchestra. Tickets 25 cents.

Thursday May 7—Odd fellows hall, Whist Tournament. Tickets Ellingwood's—25 cents.

Friday, Odd Fellows hall, Bridge Whist Tournament. Tickets Ellingwood's—25 cents.

Theatre Voyons
Today
The Workingman's Revenge
The Land of the Gold Mines
Indian Bitters.
What One Boy Can Do.
"Where Is My Boy Tonight" and "My Heart Beats Alone for You" are the songs.
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MERRIMACK ST., OPP. CITY HALL
Latest Moving Pictures
Newest Illustrated Songs
Best Vaudeville
Afternoons, 2, 3 and 4. Evenings, 7, 8 and 9.
SEATS—5 CENTS
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On Thursday Afternoon, May 7th, at 1.30
I SHALL HOLD A FURNITURE SALE AT MY COMMISSION ROOMS AT THE OLD BOSTON & MAINE DEPOT, GREEN STREET.
which consists of two oak chamber sets complete, three iron beds, a very nice black walnut chamber set with hair mattress, 2 oak dining room tables, oak sideboards, dining room chairs (oak), 2 couches, 2 carpets, hall and stair carpets, 2 rugs, a very nice range with hot water front, practically new, some odd chairs, a chiffonier, lamps, lawn mowers, small cider press, refrigerator and lots of odds and ends too numerous to mention.
Special—2 upright pianos, 2 square pianos, a very nice organ, a two-seated Democrat wagon, upholstered in leather, 2 set of harness, a case of 4½ feet by 6½ feet, 8 inches deep with glass door and 75 horse shoes of different varieties. This would make a nice show for some blacksmith.
All the above goods will be on exhibition on and after Tuesday noon until time of sale. Open evenings.

TALKS ON TAILORING
BY
JOHN J. SULLIVAN
LOWELL'S LEADING TAILOR
25 PALMER STREET.

IT IS REFINED TASTE that prompts a man to have his clothes made to measure. The result may be a "perfect fit"—but that doesn't necessarily make him a well-dressed man. Some people think that expensive clothing solves the problem—but the costly-clothing-habit is no guarantee of the right dress effect.

There's a reason. It's the tailor's fault. Now there are tailors and tailors. Some know more about selling clothes than they do about making them—for it takes more than a firm name and samples of cloth to make a tailor. To be frank, many of them are in the wrong business—for in tailoring, as in everything else, there are only a few who are fully competent.

Mere reasoning makes it evident that custom tailoring is a particular business. It takes the best kind of experience, skill and judgment to make good clothing—and that is why I am able to embody fit, fashion, wear, grace, distinction and all-round excellence in every garment I make.

These are some of the reasons why men who wear clothes of my fashioning are referred to as "well dressed." A little thought, inspection of my equipment, and one short interview with me, should make it evident to you that I am the tailor you want to make your clothes.